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ORANGE COUNTY FAIR

Closing Day of a Very Successful Exhibition

RECEIPTS FAR AHEAD OF LAST YEAR

To-day is Children's Day and Hundreds of Them Are on the Grounds—Yesterday's Races and Other Events—The Lost Balloon.

The third day of the fair of the Orange County Agricultural Society was a greater success in point of attendance than either of the preceding days, but the number of people present was far short of the corresponding date last year when 6 680 single admissions were sold as against 4 914 sold Thursday. The total receipts for the day however were $1 862 65 as against $1 874 70 last year a total loss of only $12 05

The receipts yesterday were as follows

4914 admissions at 35	$1 719 90
282 carriages at 25c	70 50
1 membership ticket	1 00
247 grandstand tickets at 25c	61 75
3 boxes at $2 50	7 50
4 box seats at 50c	2 00
Total	$1 862 65

The gate and grand stand receipts for the three days were Tuesday $713 65 Wednesday $1 621 83 Thursday $1 862 65 a total of $4 198 13

The receipts from the same sources for the corresponding days last year, were $3 2?3 70 and the total for the four days was but $4 389 70 Thus the association is already $800 better off than last year with to-day's receipts to hear from

A strong west wind blew almost continuously all day Thursday and wraps and fall overcoats were in demand The cool weather had a disastrous effect upon the ice cream and soft drink privilege holders and their receipts will be largely curtailed in consequence

The crowd that visits the fair in the morning is composed of those who go there to see the agricultural features of the exhibition while those who go in the afternoon go be[illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] at tractions

These were particularly interesting Thursday [illegible] [illegible] at [illegible] o'clock attracted many people to the fence surrounding the track The procession was headed by the men of the Third Battery followed by the Chester Military Band and the prize winners in the horse and vehicle departments

At [illegible] [illegible] the Third Battery gave another exhibition drill under command of Lieutenant Laing These drills have proven one of the most entertaining and attractive features of the fair The men drilled for nearly an hour and the field in which they maneuvered was lined with spectators in rows five and sixty feet deep

The crowd sang [illegible] on the field and interfered considerably with the drill and in one instance there was a lively exchange of words between an obstreperous [illegible] and one of the lieutenants [illegible] blows were only avoided by the intervention of friends of both parties

The races were interesting but not up to the standard of the previous day Melvin Wilkes was too fast for his field in the 2 30 trot and 2 28 pace mixed [illegible] and succeeded in distancing two of the horses in the first heat and one in the second

The owners and friends of the owners of the Ellenville horse Butterfly put up a vigorous protest at being declared shut out in the first heat They claimed that the horse was [illegible] the flag and that it was Betsy Ross who was shut out The young man who held the last [illegible] was very [illegible] about it but the judges adhered to their decision As Betsy was distanced in the next heat it looks as though their protest was [illegible] [illegible]

In [illegible] the [illegible] heat Melvin Wilkes acted very badly and his long breaks cost him the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] captured with [illegible] He got back into his form in the fourth heat and won without a skip or a break

[illegible] M [illegible] a [illegible] brown mare owned by J S Murray of Chester had practically a walk over in the 2 21 class Distance was [illegible] in the third heat and Murray [illegible] an exhibition mile in 2 23 but was very nearly beaten out by Billy Hamilton The horse broke several times during the heat and but for this might have [illegible] the heat as [illegible] [illegible] went and [illegible] the wire on a break with the lead [illegible] only [illegible] length away

The [illegible] [illegible] expected proved an easy [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Protects who [illegible] as they pleased in 3 01 and 2 50

The Summary

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  2 30 trot or 2 28 pacing, purse $150
Melvin Wilkes [illegible]            W [illegible]   1 1 1
[illegible] [illegible]              Norton             1
[illegible]                          Murray 3 2
Betsy Ross [illegible]               Shorts 4 dis
Vivian [illegible]                   Furman dis
Butterfly [illegible]                [illegible] dis
  Time [illegible]

  2 [illegible] class, purse $2[illegible]
M J [illegible]                      Murray 1 1 1
Billy Hamilton [illegible]           [illegible]
  [illegible]

  Double team [illegible], purse $1[illegible]
Tremont [illegible] Hero [illegible]  [illegible] Bros Goshen        1 1
Gypsy Queen [illegible] Xray          [illegible] [illegible] Slate Hill   2 2
Muscatine [illegible] Maud            [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Chester   3 3
  Time [illegible] 2 [illegible]
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The ball game between Goshen and Middletown attracted a good sized crowd and was a very interesting contest, resulting in a victory for the team from the county seat by a score of 12 to 11

The wind proved too strong for the aeronaut and after waiting until five o'clock for it to subside it was decided not to make the attempt The failure was a great disappointment to the crowd as it had been announced early in the day that the ascension would positively be made at 2 o'clock

The wind was so strong that the aeronaut did not dare attempt an ascent until it subsided This was not until about sundown and it was after 6 o'clock before the ascent was made

There is a great crowd of school children on the fair grounds to-day and so many of them are accompanied by parents and friends that it is in point of attendance the biggest fourth day in the history of the society

Up to 2 o'clock 1 268 single admission and ninety one carriage tickets had been sold The officers figure that the gate receipts are $1 000 ahead of last year

It was so near dark when the balloon ascension was made Thursday night that the balloon was not recovered then and this morning it cannot be found The aeronaut intimates that his enemies have made way with it

A partial list of premiums awarded follows

SPECIALS.

Bradnack Music Store, White sewing machines

Carson & Towner, J W Tompkins, Weller & Demerest, displays of dry goods

Royal Arms Coffee Company, E E Bush, agent

POULTRY

Incubators in operation—Cyphers, Willow Crest poultry yards, Goshen, 1, Universal, E W Andrews Incubator Co, Elmira, 2

Brooders in operation—Universal, E W Andrews Incubator Co, Elmira, 1, Willow Crest poultry yards, Goshen, 2.

Poultry fixtures—Oyster shell mill, D G Smith, Middletown, 1, crown bone cutter, D G Smith, Middletown, 1

12 white eggs—Mrs Sidney Smith, 1

12 buff eggs—Willow Crest poultry yards, Goshen 1 and 2

12 bantam eggs—Mrs Sidney Smith, Mt Hope, 1.

Pearl Guinea fowls—Campbell Farm, Middletown 1

Fantail cock, white—H W Schriver, Jr Chester 1

Fantail hen, white—H W Schriver, Jr, Chester, 1 and 2

Fantail cock or hen—H W Schriver, Jr, Chester, 1

Homer cock—Willow Crest poultry yards, Goshen, 1

Homer hen—Willow Crest poultry yards, Goshen 2

Angora rabbits—S D Horton, Middletown 1 Geo Osborne, Circleville, 2

Maltese cats, male-female—S H Sayer, Otisville 1

W C Black Polish hen—W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1

Golden Polish cock—N R Feagles Jr Pine Island, 1

Pen Golden Bearded Polish—Robert Herman, Rhinebeck, 1

Buff Polish cock—W Q Minturn, Warwick 1

Buff Polish hen—Robert Herman, manager, Rhinebeck 1 and 2

Black Spanish hen—W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1

Pen White Leghorns—F H Davey, Westtown, 1 E P Smith Monroe, 2

White Leghorn cock—A V N Bowne, Middletown, 1, E P Smith, Monroe, 2

White Leghorn hen—E P Smith, Monroe, 1 F H Davey, Westtown, 2

White Leghorn cockerel—A V W Bowne, Middletown, 1

White Leghorn pullet—A V W Bowne, 1

Pen Buff Leghorn—F H Davey Westtown 1

Buff Leghorn cock—W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1

Buff Leghorn hen—F H Davey, Westtown 1

Buff Leghorn cockerel, F H Davey Westtown, 1, W Q Minturn, Warwick 2

Buff Leghorn pullet, F H Davey, Westtown, 1

Pen R C White Leghorns, F H Davey, Westtown 1

R C White Leghorn cock F H Davey, Westtown, 1

R C White Leghorn hen, W Q Minturn Warwick 1 F H Davey Westtown, 2

R C White Leghorn cockerel, F H Davey, Westtown 1

R C White Leghorn pullet, F H Davey, Westtown 1

Brown Leghorn cock, F H Davey, Westtown 1

Brown Leghorn hen W Q Minturn Warwick, 1 F H Davey, Westtown, 2

Pen R C Brown Leghorn, W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1

R C Brown Leghorn Cock, W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1

R C Brown Leghorn Hen, W Q Minturn Warwick 1

R C Brown Leghorn Cockerel H Purdy, Middletown, 1 F H Davey, Westtown 2

R C Brown Leghorn Pullet H Purdy, Middletown, 1 F H Davey, Westtown, 2

Black Leghorn Pullet, F H Davey, Westtown 1

Andalusian Blue Hen, F H Davey, Westtown 1 and 2

Pen Black Minorcas F H Davey, Westtown 1

Black Minorca cock J A Bodine, Bloomingburgh 1

Black Minorca hen F H Davey Westtown 1

Black Minorca hen, J A Bodine, Bloomingburgh 1

Black Minorca cockerel, F H Davey, Westtown 1

Black Minorca pullet, F H Davey, Westtown 1

White Minorca hen, W Q Minturn, Warwick 1

Black B Red G Bantam cock, W Q Minturn Warwick, 1

Black B Red G Bantam hen, W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1

White Game Bantam cock, W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1

White Game Bantam hen, W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1

White Game Bantam cockerel, W Q Minturn, Warwick 1

Pen Dominiques J A Dudgeon, Middletown, 1

Dominique cockerel, J A Dudgeon, Middletown, 1

Dominique pullet, J A Dudgeon, Middletown, 1

Pen Barred Plymouth Rocks, J C Vanderoof, Montgomery, 1

Barred Plymouth Rocks cock, Campbell Farm, Middletown, 1 E P Smith Monroe, 2

Barred Plymouth Rock hen, J C Vanderoof, Montgomery, 1 and 2

Barred Plymouth Rock pullet, J C Vanderoof, Montgomery, 1 and 2

Barred Plymouth Rock cockerel J C Vanderoof, Montgomery, 1 and 2

P C B Plymouth Rock hen, F H Davey, Westtown, 1

Pen White Plymouth Rock cockerel and pullets, L S Wisner, Middletown 1

White Plymouth Rock cock, W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1

White Plymouth Rock hen, W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1

Pen Buff Plymouth Rock young, N Brusie, Salisbury Mills 1

Buff Plymouth Rock cock, N Brusie, Salisbury Mills, 1

Buff Plymouth Rock hen, N Brusie, Salisbury Mills, 1 D G Smith, Middletown, 2

Buff Plymouth Rock pullet, D G Smith, Middletown, 1

Pen Silver Wyandotte, F H Davey, Westtown, 1, W Q Minturn, Warwick, 2

Silver Wyandotte cock, F H Davey, Westtown, 1.

Silver Wyandotte hen, W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1, F H Davey, Westtown 2

Silver Wyandottes, Willow Crest poultry yards, Goshen, 1 and 2

White Wyandotte cock, Willow Crest poultry yards, Goshen, 1 and 2

White Wyandotte hen, Willow Crest poultry yards, Goshen, 1 and 2

White Wyandotte cockerel, Willow Crest poultry yards, Goshen, 1, F H Davey, Westtown, 2

White Wyandotte pullet, Willow Crest poultry yards, Goshen, 1 and 2

S P Hamburg Hen, F H Davey Westtown, 1,

Pen S P Hamburgs, F H Davey, Westtown 1

Pen Houdan chicks, W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1 Mrs S Smith, Mount Hope, 2

Houdan cock, W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1

Houdan hen, W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1

Houdan cockerel, W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1

Houdan pullet, W Q Minturn, Warwick, 1.

Golden Seabright cock, R Herman

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CAUGHT IN THE ACT.

Burglar Arrested as He Was Breaking Into a Store.

SHOWED FIGHT AT LOCK UP DOOR.

Jesse Bull's Farm House, Near Mud Mills, Ransacked and a Little Booty Secured—Wagon and Harness Stolen from D. W. Reeve.

As John R Black was passing through the alley between C E Crawford's and Spooner & Ayres' stores on his way to the rear door of his restaurant on Centre street, about 8 15 o'clock Thursday night, his attention was attracted by a sound of falling glass and he saw the figure of a man dart into the shadow of the rear of Spooner & Ayres building

He continued on and, passing through his cafe, he found Officer William Lankner in front of the Casino and notified him of the occurrence The officer and Mr. Black returned by way of King and Centre streets, and by keeping close to the rear of the buildings they managed to get to the rear of Dewey & Manly's store, when they heard a noise which sounded like some one pounding with a club against wire netting

The officer armed with his night stick jumped forward and discovered a man in the doorway in the rear of Spooner & Ayres' store The man turned quickly and when he saw that it was an officer he feigned drunkenness He refused to tell what he was doing there, or to give his name but showed some inclination to resist when told that he was to be locked up and when he reached the cooler, he showed fight forgot that he had feigned drunkenness and it was necessary to put the nippers on him to get him in the cell

He was arraigned before the Recorder this morning, and was examined by District Attorney A V N Powelson He gave his name as John Hunter and said that his home was in Burlington Iowa and that he had been working at Pawling N Y as cook in a summer hotel He said he came from New York yesterday on a passenger train but Mr Powelson's questioning developed the fact that a portion of the journey had been made on freight trains

The man is a stranger here is fairly well dressed and does not look at all like the typical burglar

The Recorder sent him to Goshen jail to await the action of the Grand Jury on the charge of attempted burglary He was photographed by Mitchell before going down and an effort will be made to identify him

The glass door in the store was broken and the wire screen had been removed sufficiently to permit a man's arm to be inserted and the bolt at the center of the door and the one at the bottom had been pulled and but for the timely discovery an entrance would have been effected in a very few minutes

A FARM HOUSE RANSACKED

Some time between 11 o'clock in the morning and 4 o'clock in the afternoon of Thursday, while the family of Jesse Bull, of near Mud Mills was absent at the fair burglars broke in the house and stole a wedding ring a gold chain and a revolver Nothing else was taken so far as known The burglars were plainly amateurs for they entered and [illegible] into a desk by means of a knife a pair of scissors and a small garden fork which were found lying back [illegible] in the room They found nothing however in the desk except a trade dollar which they left The wedding ring and other articles were taken from a bureau drawer A shot gun, ordinarily kept downstairs in the house was found upstairs the burglars having stowed it away behind some old clothes. Why this was done can only be guessed, but it is probable that the intruders intended to prevent the possibility of its being used against them in case they were surprised while in the house

WAGON AND HARNESS STOLEN

The wagon stolen from D W Reeve of Springside was a top full spring wagon of Cortland make black body red running gear, dark green cushions rubber top The saddle and bridle of the harness were new silver plated and the bit was new, but the Dutch collar was from an old set of harness A [illegible] cloth lap robe and plaid horse blanket with wide red stripes are also missing

Mr Reeve suspects a party who was lingering about his place Thursday and whom he has been unable to locate to day

FIRE AT MIDWAY PARK

The Bowling Alley and Billiard Room Burned Thursday Night.

Some time after midnight Thursday night, fire broke out in the building containing the bowling alley pool room and rifle range at Midway Park The fire was not discovered until it had made such progress that nothing could be done toward saving the building and it and its contents were entirely destroyed The origin of the fire is unknown

The bowling alley was run by L I Cogan and was leased by Cyrus G Taylor and contained a full set of bowling apparatus, all in good condition The pool room which was owned by J J Coleman contained two good pool tables Coleman also ran the rifle range No insurance.

LIGHT WATER PRESSURE.

Monhagen Water Will Be Shut Off, To-morrow.

Monhagen water will be shut off at 7 o'clock, to-morrow morning, that the mains may be connected with the filter plant For at least twelve hours the city will be supplied from Highland Lake and, the main to that lake being only twelve inches, the pressure will be very much lighter than usual

Many Years of Faithful Service.

Samuel Pitts, of Montgomery, who is on duty at the fair, is one of the Agricultural Society's standbys For thirty five years he has done duty as a special officer at its fairs

Patchen Again Beats Gentry.

Patchen and Gentry met, Thursday, on the Sioux City, Ia., track for a special purse of $3,000 Patchen won in two straight heats Time 2 05 and 2 04½

Dr. Miles' Pain Pills cure Neuralgia.

GOSHEN'S FIRE PARADE.

Arrangements Completed for a Big Time, Oct. 5—The Visiting Companies.

From Our Goshen Correspondent

The bi-annual parade of the Goshen Fire Department, which will occur on Oct 5, is the event now exciting the interest of Goshenites. Numerous preparations are and have been under way It promises to be one of the most complete affairs of its kind in a generation

Cataract Engine and Hose Company will entertain Independent Hose Company, of Morristown, N J The company numbers 50 men, and will be accompanied by the fire wardens to the number of 25 Both organizations will arrive on the evening of Oct 4 The boys will bring their chemical engine drawn by a team of dapple greys, and their service wagon and paraphernalia Voss band of Newark numbering 21 pieces will accompany them Independent Hose is the crack company of Morristown

Tompkins Hose Co of Fishkill, will be the guests of Elliott H and L Co This is one of the finest companies along the Hudson They are justly proud of numerous trophies and prizes that they have won for their fine appearance in line They will be accompanied by the Fishkill and Matteawan band, and will arrive on the evening of Oct 4, and be given a short march through the village They will bring no apparatus

Dikeman Hose Co will also entertain a New Jersey company, Newton Steamer Co No 1 of Newton, numbering fifty uniformed men and accompanied by the Newton band of twenty five pieces The Newton Steamer Co stands in the foremost rank of New Jersey's fire companies It is composed of the prominent citizens of the town The Newton band in its own locality fills the same place in the hearts of the public that the Goshen band does at home and their weekly concerts are the pride of that section of New Jersey This company and band will arrive on the morning of Oct 5 and will bring their steam [illegible]

The guests of the Cataracts will make the St Elmo their headquarters Elliott Hook and Ladder has secured the Washingtonville band and their guests will be quartered at the Orange The Walden Fife and Drum Corps will march in front of Dikeman Hose This musical organization is very popular in Goshen when they have before appeared The corps is [illegible] [illegible] and furnishes good music and makes an exceptionally fine appearance They and the other guests of Dikeman Hose Co will hang up their hats at the Occidental

One of the most pleasant features of the occasion will be the exhibition drill which the Walden Fife and Drum Corps will give on the [illegible] square

YELLOW FEVER'S VICTIM

Death of H McGuire, Formerly of This City at Colon.

[illegible] [illegible] received Thursday, a letter from H [illegible] of the Panama Railroad Company announcing the death at Colon Sept 2 of H McGuire, who was at one time a resident of this city He was an expert machinist and [illegible] [illegible] to overhaul the shafting in [illegible] [illegible] and was here about [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] a year ago [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] He made [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] he was due [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] still [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

OBITUARY

Mrs. Hannah J. Moore.

Mrs Hannah J Moore died at the home of her daughter, Mrs James H [illegible] at Washingtonville, Thursday She was the widow of the late Alexander Moore and mother of J Owen Moore proprietor of the Walnut Grove Stock Farm

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS [illegible] [illegible] Commission Broker Star Building [illegible] North street Middletown N Y Stocks Bonds Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin

New York Sept 15 99

	Yesterday Close	To-day Clos.
Sugar	150⅞	148⅝
Tobacco	129	127
Chicago Gas	115½	113⅝
Nat Lead	30	29½
General Electric	12?¼	122
T S I pref	76½	75⅞
Tenn Coal and Iron	120	119⅜
A T & S F	21⅛	20⅛
C B & Q	1?⅞	131⅝
C M & St P	131	129¾
R I	115⅝	114⅞
D L & W	179	181
[illegible] of N J	118	118⅝
[illegible]		
D and H	123	123¾
[illegible] & W	9	25⅝
Federal St [illegible]	58⅛	56
P & R	2?½	2?¼
[illegible] 1st pref	59	59⅛
N W	166½	167
Kansas and Texas	13⅛	—
Do Pref	40½	40¼
N Y C	138½	136⅝
M P	45⅞	45⅜
Texas	20	19¾
[illegible]	4?⅛	44⅜
[illegible]	55⅛	53
L & N	80⅛	79⅛
Manhattan [illegible]	116⅝	*114
[illegible] M	4?¾	42⅜
Wabash [illegible]	21⅞	21⅜
Union Pacific pref	75⅞	75½
Metropolitan Traction	208	208
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	89⅜	87⅝
Southern pref	53⅛	52½
CHICAGO MARKET		
Dec Wheat	70¼	70⅞
Dec Corn	28½	28
Dec Oats	0?¼	21¼
Dec Pork	$8 1.	8[illegible]
Dec Lard	$5 7	5[illegible]

*Ex Div [illegible] [illegible] cent

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FLOODS IN AUSTRIA

Town of Scharding on the Inn Under Water.

PEOPLE DRIVEN FROM OTHER TOWNS

Several Persons Drowned and Man and Child Killed by Collapse of Undermined House—The Danube Still Rising.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

VIENNA, Sept 15—The town of Scharding on the river Inn, in upper Austria, is flooded The Inn is still rising and the water has reached the upper floors of houses, and in some instances has risen as far as the roofs. Several persons have been drowned

The inhabitants of Elbenees and Steyr have deserted their dwellings The rivers Enns and Traun are falling, but the Danube is still rising As a result of the floods a house has collapsed, burying a man and child in the ruins.

ANTI-TRUST CONFERENCE.

Workingmen, Single Taxers, Socialists and Political Economists Expound Their Theories.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHICAGO Sept 15—Workingmen, Socialists, advocates of the single tax theory and students of political economy were heard, to day, at the civic federation conference on trusts and combinations

The committee on resolutions organized by electing ex Governor Luce, of Michigan, chairman, and Ralph M Easley secretary It was decided to name a sub committee of five to receive and consider resolutions that may be presented and report to the general committee

Louis F Post, of New York, an advocate of the single tax, was the first speaker, to day Thomas J Morgan, of Chicago, followed discussing taxation from the Socialistic point of view Henry White secretary of the United Garment Workers of America followed

Presbytery of Hudson.

The Presbytery of Hudson will meet in the Presbyterian church of Westtown Monday evening Sept 18 The opening sermon will be delivered by the retiring moderator, Rev Dr Robert H McCready, of Chester Tuesday will be devoted to business Tuesday evening Rev Wilson Phraner D D, of East Orange N J, will deliver an address on foreign missions

Medals For Bravery

WASHINGTON Sept 15—Information has been received at the war department that four soldiers of the Seventeenth infantry were given a testimonial of the esteem in which their country holds its heroes at San Fernando Luzon Aug 4 The occasion was the presentation to Sergeant Bruno Wende, Sergeant C G Buzzard Private G C Bird and Arthur Thomas J Graham, all of Company C of that regiment of medals of honor awarded them by President McKinley for distinguished bravery in battle at El Caney, Santiago, July 1, 1898, in assisting in the rescue of wounded men in front of the line under heavy fire from the enemy

Siberia's Advancement

WASHINGTON, Sept 15—Siberia is becoming the successor of the United States as a Mecca for immigrants The 5 213 056 square miles of Siberia and the Amur lands have a population of only 1 000 000 but last year there were 400 000 immigrants and the tide of immigration is increasing Consul J C Monaghan, at Chemnitz reports to the state department that the recent movement into Siberia is unequaled anywhere except in the records of past immigration into the United States

Thousands For Charity

CAMBRIDGE, Mass Sept 15—The will of Mrs Mary P Goddard, widow of the late Thomas A Goddard of Newton which was filed for probate in the Middlesex probate court, provides for public bequests amounting to $170 000 The largest bequest is to Tufts college which receives $60,000 Universalist institutions mainly the general conference and the Massachusetts conference, receive bequests aggregating $100,000. The Every Day church of Boston receives $10 000

The United States Navy.

WASHINGTON Sept 15—The navigation bureau of the navy has issued a list of vessels of the United States navy of all kinds, making the surprising showing of 312 craft. This includes many small vessels and craft captured in Cuba and the Philippines but the showing is nevertheless remarkable in comparison with the naval list of two years ago

The Baltimore's Captain

WASHINGTON, Sept 15—Captain Nehemiah Dyer, who commanded the Baltimore in the battle of Manila Bay was in Washington yesterday and called at the navy department He is on leave of absence and will accompany the committee from Washington to New York which is to escort Admiral Dewey to the capital

Their 68th Wedding Anniversary.

ORANGE, N J, Sept 15—Mr and Mrs Ira H Condit of Roseland celebrated their sixty eighth wedding anniversary with a reception at their home to their children, grandchildren, great grandchildren and other relatives, more than 100 friends and relatives being present.

First Snow of the Season.

PLATTSBURG, N Y, Sept 15—Snow fell at McCullom's, in the town of Duane, Franklin county, near Paul Smith's yesterday morning The fall was quite heavy and completely covered the ground This is the first snow of the season in the Adirondacks

Bad blood and indigestion are deadly enemies to good health Burdock Blood Bitters destroy them

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OFFICIAL CITY PAPER

FRIDAY SEPT 15 1899

Snow fell in the town of Duane Franklin county, and at Paul Smith's in the Adirondacks Thursday morning in sufficient quantities to cover the ground

Orange county's share of the State tax is $102 604 an increase of $15 745 over last year Sullivan county's tax is $2 138 greater than last year Republican rule is a costly luxury

The Citizens Union's executive committee has formally repudiated Mazet and resolved to make an independent nomination in his Assembly district This is the most sensible thing the Cits have ever done and will cause a great many people to forgive and forget their follies of the past

The Cits will not combine with the Republicans in New York city Their executive committee would not even give Quigg a chance to explain his proposed union The Cits have no objection to Republicans endorsing their candidates but they will fight shy of the walk into my parlor deal that the tricky Quigg is planning

The unexpected [illegible] Washington [illegible] New York [illegible] It is [illegible] and apparently [illegible] that the way is being prepared for the recall of Gen Otis who is a member of the commission for it would be a very easy [illegible] Washington to complete the report and he could thus be relieved of his command without disgrace or humiliation

Tipplers of Tender Age

[illegible]

There is a party of boys of a tender age in this town who at night frequently [illegible] a bottle of whiskey and go in some corner and drink it. These boys are getting a very bad start in life and should be looked after by their parents And dealers who sell liquor to minors should be looked after also

Wagon and Harness Stolen

David W Ravenport notified the police this morning that about midnight Thursday a new spring wagon and a set of harness was stolen from his barn on his farm south of this city

Receipts From Porto Rico

WASHINGTON Sept 15—The war department has received the amount of receipts gathered from all sources in Porto Rico for the month of August The receipts aggregate $173 780 divided as follows Customs receipts $135 612 postal receipts $6 018 internal revenue receipts $9 912 miscellaneous $2 677

Captain Leary Reports

WASHINGTON Sept 15—Captain Leary the governor general of the island of Guam has reported his arrival at his post on the steamer Yosemite under date of Aug 7 The collier Brutus and the surveying ship Nero arrived at the same island Aug 1 and Sept 7 respectively

Woman Arrested For Bigamy

WATERTOWN N Y Sept 15—Mrs May Stone was arrested here yesterday charged with bigamy It is alleged that she has three husbands She is [illegible] years old

McKinley Will Not Interfere

WASHINGTON Sept 15—President McKinley is daily receiving letters petitions and resolutions from various parts of the country urging his mediation in behalf of Dreyfus and suggesting that he tender his good offices in the pending dispute between Great Britain and the Transvaal These have come in such volume that there has not been an acknowledgment in many cases All these communications are being turned over to the state department as they arrive The administration will take no action holding that until the interests of the United States or the rights of her citizens are involved it is not within the province of this country to meddle in the internal affairs of foreign countries

FOR THE PUBLIC GOOD.

The Information Contained in This Citizen's Statement is Invaluable to Middletown People

When a resident of Middletown whose statement appears below who has no monetary or other interest in the article which he endorses who is anxious to do his acquaintances and fellow residents a good turn who publishes in this paper his experience with Doan's Kidney Pills—that citizen must have good and sufficient reason for doing so The following should dispel any doubts which may have existed in the reader's mind on the subject

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UNIONVILLE.

Private Clambake—Two Runaways—Minisink Council's Flag—Many Other Notes

Correspondence of ARGUS and MERCURY

—There was a private clambake at the home of Samuel Christie Thursday of this week

—There have been two runaways in town within a week One horse belonging to Peter Northrup and the other to Edward Bennett of the stock farm No serious damage was done to either rig

—Miss Reid of Newark N J is visiting Miss Smith of this city

—Matthews & Tuthill had charge of the funeral of Mr Hoffman of Gardner [illegible]

—[illegible] and Walter [illegible] [illegible] Minisink Council [illegible] was promised to give a flag to the [illegible] having the largest percentage of members present at his last visit It is a beauty and the boys are justly proud of it

—Isaac Terry and family of Westtown, were the guests of Mrs Milton Terry last Thursday

—The wagon of the Standard Oil Co, of Middletown made its first trip to our town, Wednesday

—Mr and Mrs Wm L [illegible] and Mrs Peter [illegible] and son of Woodburn, N J were visiting Mr and Mrs Jeremiah Bennett last Friday

—The lecture by Rev Mr Crowell at the M E Church last Thursday evening was well attended and merited the highest praise

—Everybody enjoyed the picnic of the Presbyterian congregation at Cooper's Glen last Saturday

—Austin Van Sickle Lloyd Dunn and B Bush took a 106 mile ride on their wheels Sunday

—Eight tickets for the [illegible] bike were sold here Sunday

—A harvest home festival will be held at the M E Church Wednesday and Thursday evenings Sept 20 and 21 [illegible] Chicken [illegible]

[illegible]

—Mrs Wolf [illegible] spent Wednesday with Mrs Peter Whitaker

[illegible]

—Mr and Mrs Wainwright of Knoxville [illegible] guests of Mr and Mrs Geo Eston

—Miss [illegible] and Mrs Chas [illegible] spent Thursday with Mrs L B [illegible]

—[illegible] Mrs Dennis and Mrs Henry [illegible] were on the sick list last week

—Unionville [illegible] Orange county this week

UP THE MIDLAND

Saw the Snow—Crop Notes—Farming on an Extensive Scale—Lumber Land in Demand—Gov Roosevelt at the Walton Fair

Correspondence of ARGUS and MERCURY

—It is said by those who know that in one of the Midland towns the only crow that a young family own was killed that the family might not starve

—[illegible] will not [illegible] yield [illegible] condition

[illegible]

[illegible] Mr Foote has at this writing 300 sheep and lambs on his farm

—Timber land is looking up in the vicinity of Cooks Falls S W Coble having sold the timber on one thousand acres of land to Leighton the tanning king who will use it for acid wood Mr Leighton has also bought the Davidson farm on Russell Brook and the Butler farm on Morton Hill Wood that fifteen years ago went begging for a buyer at [illegible] now sells readily at forty cents

—Wednesday was the second day of the Walton fair which is well sustained and fully up to that of other years The attendance was larger than ever before as Gov Roosevelt was on hand, and at 2 o'clock delivered a harangue He got to Walton the day at 6 30 from Middletown and was driven to the home of Judge Sewell At the armory, the Governor and supervisors were dined and (I had almost written wined but that would never do for a temperance town like Walton) The Governor has a good drawing card up here, even as he did to draw in Middletown

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STATE OF NEW YORK.

Office of the Secretary of State

Albany July 27, 1899

Pursuant to the provisions of section one of article fourteen of the Constitution of the State of New York and section seven of Chapter nine hundred and nine of the Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety six notice is hereby given that the following proposed amendment to article three of the Constitution of the State of New York is to be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election to be held on the seventh day of November eighteen hundred and ninety nine

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and Assembly

Proposing an amendment to article three, section twenty six of the constitution, relating to boards of supervisors and devolving the duties thereof upon the municipal assembly or other legislative body of a city in counties wholly included in a city or where two or more entire counties are included in a city

Whereas the legislature at its regular session in eighteen hundred and ninety-eight duly adopted a resolution providing for an amendment to the constitution relating to boards of supervisors and devolving the duties thereof upon the municipal assembly or other legislative body of a city in counties wholly included in a city or where two or more entire counties are included in a city; and which resolution was referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election of senators and directed to be published in accordance with section one of article fourteen of the constitution and

Whereas such resolution has been duly published in accordance with law and the constitution and referred to this legislature for action therefore

Section 1 Resolved (if the assembly concur) that section twenty six article third of the constitution be amended so as to read as follows

Sec 26 There shall be in each county except in a county wholly included in a city a board of supervisors to be composed of such members and elected in such manner and for such period as is or may be provided by law In a city which includes an entire county or two or more entire counties the powers and duties of a board of supervisors may be devolved upon the municipal assembly common council board of aldermen or other legislative body of the city

Sec 2 Resolved (if the assembly concur) that the foregoing amendment be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election in accordance with the provisions of the election law

STATE OF NEW YORK

In Senate Mar 3 1899

The foregoing resolution was duly passed a majority of all the senators elected voting in favor thereof

By order of the senate

TIMOTHY E ELLSWORTH

Temporary President

STATE OF NEW YORK

In Assembly Apr 22 1899

The foregoing resolution was duly passed a majority of all the members elected to the assembly voting in favor thereof

By order of the assembly

S F NIXON Speaker

State of New York Office of the Secretary of State ss I have compared the preceding copy of concurrent resolution proposing an amendment to article three section twenty six of the Constitution with the original concurrent resolution on file in this office and I do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole thereof

[L S] Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State at the city of Albany this twenty seventh day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine

JOHN T McDONOUGH

Secretary of State

The foregoing Concurrent Resolution is published once a week for three months next preceding the next general election in conformity to the aforesaid provisions, in two public newspapers in each county in this State representing respectively the two political parties polling the highest number of votes at the last general election and in one additional newspaper in each county for every one hundred thousand people in such county as shown by the last preceding State Enumeration

JOHN T McDONOUGH

Secretary of State.

STATE OF NEW YORK

Office of the Secretary of State

Albany July 27 1899

Pursuant to the provisions of section one of article fourteen of the Constitution of the State of New York and section seven of Chapter nine hundred and nine of the Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety six notice is hereby given that the following proposed amendment to article eight of the Constitution of the State of New York is to be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election to be held on the seventh day of November eighteen hundred and ninety nine

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and Assembly

Proposing an amendment to article eight section ten of the constitution in relation to [illegible] cities towns and villages giving or loaning money or credit and limitation of their indebtedness

Whereas the legislature at its regular session in eighteen hundred and ninety-eight duly adopted a resolution providing for an amendment to the constitution in relation to counties cities towns and villages giving or loaning money or credit and limitation of their indebtedness and which resolution was referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election of senators and directed to be published in accordance with section one of article fourteen of the constitution and

Whereas such resolution has been duly published in accordance with law and the constitution and referred to this legislature for action therefore

Section 1 Resolved (if the assembly concur) that section ten article eight, of the constitution be amended so as to read as follows

Sec 10 Counties cities and towns not to give or loan money or credit limitation of indebtedness No county city, town or village shall hereafter give any money or property or loan its money or credit to or in aid of any individual association or corporation or become directly or indirectly the owner of stock in, or bonds of any association or corporation nor shall any such county city, town or village be allowed to incur any indebtedness except for county city, town or village purposes This section shall not prevent such county city town, or village from making such provision for the aid or support of its poor as may be authorized by law No county or city shall be allowed to become indebted for any purpose or in any manner to an amount which including existing indebtedness shall exceed ten per centum of the assessed valuation of the real estate of such county or city subject to taxation as it appeared by the assessment-rolls of said county or city on the last assessment for state or county taxes prior to the incurring of such indebtedness and all indebtedness in excess of such limitation except such as may now exist shall be absolutely void except as herein otherwise provided No county or city whose present indebtedness exceeds ten per centum of the assessed valuation of its real estate subject to taxation shall be allowed to become indebted in any further amount until such indebtedness shall be reduced within such limit This section shall not be construed to prevent the issuing of certificates of indebtedness or revenue bonds issued in anticipation of the collection of taxes for amounts actually contained or to be contained in the taxes for the year when such certificates or revenue bonds are issued and payable out of such taxes Nor shall this section be construed to prevent the issue of bonds to provide for the supply of water, but the term of the bonds issued to provide the supply of water shall not exceed twenty years and a sinking fund shall be created on the issuing of the said bonds for their redemption by raising annually a sum which will produce an amount equal to the sum of the principal and interest of said bonds at their maturity All certificates of indebtedness or revenue bonds issued in anticipation of the collection of taxes, which are not retired within five years after their date of issue and bonds issued to provide for the supply of water and any debt hereafter incurred by any portion or part of a city if there shall be any such debt shall be included in ascertaining the power of the city to become otherwise indebted Whenever the boundaries of any city are the same as those of a county or when any city shall include within its boundaries more than one county the power of any county wholly included within such city to become indebted shall cease but the debt of the county, heretofore existing shall not for the purposes of this section be reckoned as a part of the city debt The amount hereafter to be raised by tax for county or city purposes in any county containing a city of over one hundred thousand inhabitants or any such city of this state in addition to providing for the principal and interest of existing debt shall not in the aggregate exceed in any one year two per centum of the assessed valuation of the real and personal estate of such county or city to be ascertained as prescribed in this section in respect to county or city debt

Sec 2 Resolved, (if the assembly concur) that the foregoing amendment be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election in accordance with the provisions of the election law.

STATE OF NEW YORK

In Senate Mar 3 1899

The foregoing resolution was duly passed a majority of all the senators elected voting in favor thereof

By order of the senate

TIMOTHY E ELLSWORTH.

Temporary President.

STATE OF NEW YORK

In Assembly Apr 22 1899

The foregoing resolution was duly passed a majority of all the members elected to the assembly voting in favor thereof

By order of the assembly,

S F NIXON, Speaker.

State of New York, Office of the Secretary of State, ss I have compared the preceding copy of concurrent resolution, proposing an amendment to article eight, section ten of the Constitution, with the original concurrent resolution on file in this office, and I do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole thereof

[L S] Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the city of Albany this twenty-seventh day of July, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

JOHN T. McDONOUGH,

Secretary of State.

The foregoing Concurrent Resolution is published once a week for three months next preceding the next general election in conformity to the aforesaid provisions, in two public newspapers in each county in this State representing respectively the two political parties polling the highest number of votes at the last general election, and in one additional newspaper in each county for every one hundred thousand people in such county as shown by the last preceding State Enumeration

JOHN T McDONOUGH

Secretary of State.

STATE OF NEW YORK

Office of the Secretary of State

Albany, July 27, 1899

Pursuant to the provisions of section one of article fourteen of the Constitution of the State of New York, and section seven of Chapter nine hundred and nine of the Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-six, notice is hereby given that the following proposed amendment to article six, of the Constitution of the State of New York is to be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election to be held on the seventh day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety nine

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and Assembly

Proposing an amendment to section two of article six of the constitution, relating to temporary designations by the governor of justices to the appellate division

Whereas the legislature at its regular session in eighteen hundred and ninety-eight duly adopted resolutions providing for an amendment to the constitution, relating to temporary designations by the governor, of justices to the appellate division and which resolution was referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election of senators, and directed to be published in accordance with section one of article fourteen of the constitution, and

Whereas such resolutions have been duly published in accordance with law and the constitution and referred to this legislature for action therefore

Section 1 Resolved (if the assembly concur), that section two of article six of the constitution be amended so as to read as follows

Sec 2. The legislature shall divide the state into four judicial departments The first department shall consist of the county of New York, the others shall be bounded by county lines and be compact and equal in population as nearly as may be Once every ten years the legislature may alter the judicial departments but without increasing the number thereof There shall be an appellate division of the supreme court consisting of seven justices in the first department, and of five justices in each of the other departments In each department four shall constitute a quorum and the concurrence of three shall be necessary to a decision No more than five justices shall sit in any case From all the justices elected to the supreme court the governor shall designate those who shall constitute the appellate division in each department and he shall designate the presiding justice thereof who shall act as such during his term of office and shall be a resident of the department. The other justices shall be designated for terms of five years or the unexpired portions of their respective terms of office, if less than five years From time to time as the terms of such designations expire or vacancies occur he shall make new designations A majority of the justices so designated to sit in the appellate division in each department shall be residents of the department He may also make temporary designations in case of the absence or inability to act of any justice in the appellate division or in case the presiding justice of any appellate division shall certify to him that one or more additional justices are needed for the speedy disposition of the business before it Whenever the appellate division in any department shall be unable to dispose of its business within a reasonable time a majority of the presiding justices of the several departments at a meeting called by the presiding justice of the department in arrears may transfer any pending appeals from such department to any other department for hearing and determination. No justice of the appellate division shall exercise any of the powers of a justice of the supreme court other than those of a justice out of court and those pertaining to the appellate division or to the hearing and decision of motions submitted by consent of counsel From and after the last day of December, eighteen hundred and ninety-five the appellate division shall have the jurisdiction now exercised by the supreme court at its general terms and by the general terms of the court of common pleas for the city and county of New York the superior court of the city of New York, the superior court of Buffalo and the city court of Brooklyn and such additional jurisdiction as may be conferred by the legislature It shall have power to appoint and remove a reporter The justices of the appellate division in each department shall have power to fix the times and places for holding special and trial terms therein and to assign the justices in the departments to hold such terms, or to make rules therefor

Sec 2 Resolved (if the assembly concur) that the foregoing amendment be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election in accordance with the provisions of the election law

STATE OF NEW YORK

In Senate Apr 11 1899

The foregoing resolution was duly passed a majority of all the senators elected voting in favor thereof

By order of the senate

TIMOTHY E ELLSWORTH

Temporary President

In Assembly Apr [illegible] 1899

The foregoing resolution was duly passed a majority of all the members elected to the assembly voting in favor thereof

By order of the assembly

S F NIXON Speaker

State of New York Office of the Secretary of State ss I have compared the preceding copy of concurrent resolution proposing an amendment to article six section two of the Constitution with the original concurrent resolution on file in this office and I do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole thereof

[L S] Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State at the city of Albany this twenty seventh day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine

JOHN T McDONOUGH

Secretary of State

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JOHN T McDONOUGH

Secretary of State

STATE OF NEW YORK

Office of the Secretary of State

Albany July 27 1899

Pursuant to the provisions of section one of article fourteen of the Constitution of the State of New York and section seven of Chapter nine hundred and nine of the Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety six notice is hereby given that the following proposed amendment to article six, section seven of the Constitution of the State of New York is to be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election to be held on the seventh day of November eighteen hundred and ninety nine

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and Assembly

Proposing an amendment to article six section seven of the constitution relating to the court of appeals

Whereas the legislature at its regular session in eighteen hundred and ninety-eight duly adopted resolutions providing for an amendment to the constitution relating to the court of appeals, and which resolutions were referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election of senators and directed to be published in accordance with section one of article fourteen of the constitution and

Whereas said resolutions have been duly published in accordance with law and the constitution and referred to this legislature for action therefore

Section 1 Resolved (if the assembly concur), that section seven of article six of the constitution be amended to read as follows.

Sec 7 The court of appeals is continued—It shall consist of the chief judge and associate judges now in office, who shall hold their offices until the expiration of their respective terms and their successors, who shall be chosen by the electors of the state The official terms of the chief judge and associate judges shall be fourteen years from and including the first day of January next after their election Five members of the court shall form a quorum and the concurrence of four shall be necessary to a decision The court shall have power to appoint and to remove its reporter clerk and attendants. Whenever and as often as a majority of the judges of the court of appeals shall certify to the governor that said court is unable by reason of the accumulation of causes pending therein, to hear and dispose of the same with reasonable speed, the governor shall designate not more than four justices of the supreme court to serve as associate judges of court of appeals. The justices so designated shall be relieved from their duties as justices of the supreme court and shall serve as associate judges of the court of appeals until the causes undisposed of in said court are reduced to two hundred, when they shall return to the supreme court. The governor may designate justices of the supreme court to fill vacancies. No justice shall serve as associate judge of the court of appeals except while holding the office of justice of the supreme court and no more than seven judges shall sit in any case.

Sec 2 Resolved (if the assembly concur) that the foregoing amendment be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election in accordance with the provisions of the election law.

STATE OF NEW YORK

In Senate Apr 4, 1899

The foregoing resolution was duly passed, a majority of all the senators elected voting in favor thereof

By order of the senate

TIMOTHY L. WOODRUFF,

President.

STATE OF NEW YORK

In Assembly Apr 25 1899

The foregoing resolution was duly passed a majority of all the members elected to the assembly voting in favor thereof

By order of the assembly

S F NIXON, Speaker.

State of New York Office of the Secretary of State ss I have compared the preceding copy of concurrent resolution proposing an amendment to article six section seven of the Constitution, with the original concurrent resolution on file in this office and I do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole thereof

[L S] Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State at the city of Albany this twenty-seventh day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

JOHN T McDONOUGH

Secretary of State.

The foregoing Concurrent Resolution is published once a week for three months next preceding the next general election in conformity to the aforesaid provisions, in two public newspapers in each county in this State representing respectively the two political parties polling the highest number of votes at the last general election and in one additional newspaper in each county for every one hundred thousand people in such county as shown by the last preceding State Enumeration

JOHN T McDONOUGH

Secretary of State.

TRUSTS DISCUSSED.

Chicago Conference Listens to Much Talk.

GOVERNOR PINGREE STAR SPEAKER.

A Disturbance Over the Appointment of a Resolutions Committee Is Harmonized by Bourke Cockran—Decreasing Attendance

CHICAGO, Sept 15 The second day's session of the trust conference opened here with William Wirt Howe of New Orleans in the chair and a falling off in the attendance of both delegates and spectators

Chairman Howe proceeded at once to business by putting before the house a resolution introduced by J C Farr of Missouri for the appointment of the important committee on resolutions He called for a committee of 15 to be selected by Chairman Howe To this committee all resolutions according to Mr Farr, were to be referred without reading or debate The motion instantly developed the undercurrent of strife between the factions for and against trusts which Wednesday threatened the convention's harmony

It remained for W Bourke Cockran to repeat his performance of the previous day when he restored the harmony which was lost in an endeavor to secure a committee on programme

Upon his suggestion it was finally decided that the committee on resolutions consist of not only one representative of each state delegation but of each national organization

To this committee it was resolved that all resolutions be referred without reading or debate

The afternoon session was devoted to the papers on the Relation of Agriculture to Trusts Dudley Wooten acted as chairman for the session, but presided over delegations even thinner than they were during the forenoon W Bourke Cockran was missed from the ranks of the New Yorkers but these gentlemen asserted that he had not forsaken the conference An eastern delegate slept through the entire session a pronounced example of the ennui which affected many others in lesser degree

Enthusiastic interest and a crowded hall put the evening session of the conference on trusts sharply in contrast with the forenoon and afternoon gatherings Central Music hall was packed with an audience that represented nearly every class of people Governor Pingree of Michigan was a star attraction The governor was received with applause so fervent that it was several minutes before he could proceed with his address He was obliged to rise several times after taking his seat and bow his acknowledgments before the audience would allow the chairman to introduce the next speaker ex Governor Foster of Ohio

Baron Watson Dead

LONDON Sept 15—Baron Watson, lord of appeal in ordinary and a former member of parliament in the Conservative interest for the universities of Glasgow and Aberdeen died yesterday in his seventy first year

Oil Warehouse Burned

ALTOONA Pa Sept 15—A fire supposed of incendiary origin yesterday destroyed Reigard & Co's oil warehouse and J M Hughes coalyards and damaged John Kazmaier's brewery The total loss is estimated at $20 000

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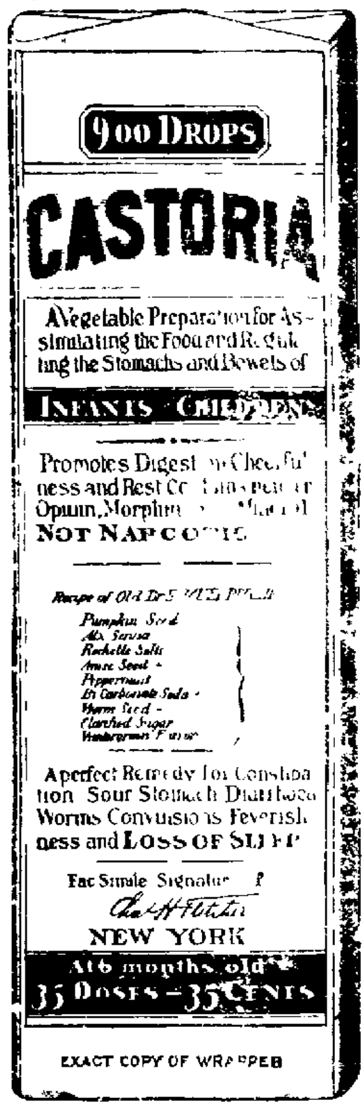
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SHOTS HERE AND THERE.

A great many Middletown women have not learned how to get off a street car. They step off with their faces turned toward the rear of the car and if by any chance the car should be started while they were thus looking backward a bad fall would be the inevitable result. All this of course implies that the proper way to alight from a car is with your face in the direction that the car is going, but a disgusted conductor said the other day when three women all did the alighting act in the wrong way: "Some women will never learn anything. That's the way a woman always gets off a car. But tell one of these women that she knows no more than a dago and you'll find she blazes out at you."

The people who had the best time at the fair were those who took in the whole thing—exhibition hall, fruit and vegetables, fruits, dogs, horses, poultry, cows, hogs in the chemical department and then did the side shows—including the best snake of the whole exhibition [illegible] and who of course saw the races and waited for the wind to go down and for the balloon to go up. They got their money's worth and put in a big day and have something to remember and talk about for weeks and months to come. The people who got least out of the fair were those superior beings who [illegible] that they are above such plebian enjoyments and who went there expecting to be bored. They saw nothing that interested them and they were not amused by the hundred and one amusing things that were to be seen. In fact there are few things more amusing than a county fair. It is a study in humanity and if any one is interested in the human race there is nothing more interesting than to watch a county fair crowd as it drifts up and down and backwards and forwards across the grounds.

A great many theatregoers missed a treat by not attending the performance of the American Girl at the Casino Thursday night. The audience was not nearly as large as the play merited but those who were present enjoyed every moment of the entertainment. [illegible] two little girls [illegible] Lawson [illegible] was the best [illegible] things seen in this city since the days of the Little Lord Fauntleroy craze when so many infant prodigies [illegible] impersonation of a big hearted [illegible] American theatrical manager and Miss [illegible] the American Girl was exceptionally good as [illegible].

BORDEN'S MILK PRICES

Contract Figures for the Next Six Months at Johnson.

The New York Condensed Milk Co. (Borden's) has made contracts at Johnson for the next six months at the following rates:

For October $1.30 per 100 pounds
For November $1.40 per 100 pounds
For December $1.40 per 100 pounds
For January $1.40 per 100 pounds
For February $1.30 per 100 pounds
[illegible] $1.20 per 100 pounds

These prices [illegible] last year [illegible] October [illegible] November [illegible] and [illegible] $1.20 [illegible] $1.30 [illegible] $1.20 and March $1.10.

Mary Powell Excursion

[illegible] Sept 20th the [illegible] popular Mary Powell [illegible] Middletown [illegible] at 7.20 [illegible] Main street at 7.24 [illegible] will leave Goshen at 6.45 [illegible] making connection with [illegible] at Marist [illegible] Returning [illegible] from [illegible] Main street [illegible].

Honk Falls Electricity for Liberty

The Honk Falls Power Company [illegible] has contracted to furnish 200 [illegible] electricity to [illegible] Liberty company which proposes to furnish light and power in that village and [illegible] proposes to build and operate the Johnsonville trolley road. The Liberty company is to erect and maintain the [illegible] between that village and the power station.

SOUTH CENTERVILLE

Peach and Cream Festival.

Correspondence of ARGUS and MERCURY

—The ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold a peach and cream festival in [illegible] on Monday evening, Sept 18, for the pastor's benefit [illegible] leaves the next day to resume his studies at Princeton. Every one is cordially invited to this farewell festival.

Killed by Explosion of Dynamite

[illegible], an Italian, to [illegible] P. H. [illegible] this summer place at Helix Point was doing some blasting with dynamite Monday. A blast failed [illegible] was bending over it [illegible] to see what was the matter when the explosion occurred. [illegible] was terribly lacerated and [illegible] from the effects of his injuries.

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SATURNUS DISASTER

Mail Advices Give Details of the Affair.

LOOTED AND BURNED BY REBELS.

The Cargo of the Lost Vessel Was Valuable and Included $40,000. Crew and Passengers Safe and Expected Soon at Manila.

WASHINGTON, Sept 15.—A report has been received by mail at the war department giving an account of the capture and destruction of the steamer Saturnus, which carried $40,000 in cash and a valuable cargo. The report follows:

"The United States gunboat Pampanga arrived here yesterday morning, bringing news of the capture of the steamer Saturnus, belonging to the Compania Maritima.

The facts as gathered from those who know are as follows: The Saturnus sailed from Manila on the morning of July 30 for San Fernando de la Union on the north side of the gulf of Lingayen, Cavayan, Curimao and Aparri, all of which are northern ports. It is supposed the vessel arrived off San Fernando on the 31st ultimo.

When discovered by the gunboat Pampanga she was lying with her nose buried in the sand of the shore south of the city of San Fernando. Both anchors were out and smoke which hovered closely over the vessel showed her to be on fire. Small boats with native crews could be seen carrying the cargo of the burning vessel ashore.

Little suspecting the true condition of affairs, the gunboat Pampanga sent a boat out to the burning vessel to investigate, but upon the approach of the boat with her American bluejackets the natives immediately retired and opened fire upon the boat's crew, using Mauser and Remington rifles from concealed trenches and sending shells from two and three inch guns which formed a concealed battery over and close to the little boat.

The watchful officers on the Pampanga immediately ordered the fire from the rebel trenches to be returned by the crew of the gunboat and under cover of the guns of the warship the boat reached the Saturnus. A brief inspection of the vessel showed every indication that she had been looted by the rebels but the examination failed to disclose any sign of the crew or anything to indicate that a struggle had taken place on board. The boat's crew then attempted to raise the anchors but failing in this they cut the anchor chains and attached a hawser from the Pampanga to the propeller of the Saturnus. An attempt was then made to pull her out of the mud and sand, but was unsuccessful.

"The Pampanga then abandoned the wrecked Saturnus and signaled the Concord, which was sighted as she was crossing the gulf of Lingayen, and reported all the facts of the discovery to her commander. The Pampanga then came in [illegible] to Manila to report the affair while the [illegible] remained to attend [illegible] rebels [illegible] the wreck. When the gunboat left the scene the flames on the Saturnus had enveloped the vessel and her total [illegible] was [illegible].

The Saturnus was commanded by Captain Antonio Aral [illegible] and had [illegible] officers, three engineers and a crew of 30 natives. It is supposed that all were taken prisoners by the rebels.

The cargo of the vessel consisted of 5,000 cases of [illegible], [illegible] cases [illegible], 14 barrels of wine, 80 sacks of rice, 10 cases of linen, [illegible] $40,000 in cash and 1,300 packages in bales of [illegible]. In addition to the cargo the vessel carried 28 passengers, all of whom were natives or Filipinos and Chinese.

A subsequent report received here states that the crew and passengers of the Saturnus were all safe and uninjured at Tarlac, the Filipino capital. It was expected that the crew and passengers would arrive in Manila soon as it was said that they were free to go where they pleased unmolested. The Saturnus was fully insured against loss including the risk of war.

Pray For American Occupation

WASHINGTON, Sept 15.—Mail advices received at the war department from Manila state that the natives of the island of Zamboanga are praying for the speedy arrival of the Americans and would welcome the hoisting of the American flag. It is said that as a result of the forcible collection of taxes by the emissaries of the insurgents who take all they have got, the natives are in a state of semistarvation. They have no faith in the [illegible] and they earnestly desire American protection.

Engagement at Balomao

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The following dispatch from Watson has been received at the navy department: "Davidson commanding Paragua reports sharp engagement at Balomao. Vessel struck many times rifle shots; no casualties. Paragua silenced insurgents' fire in 20 minutes; range from 400 to 900 yards. Occasion: capture Filipino schooner which Davidson destroyed. Balomao is in the province of Masbate, south of Luzon and north of Visayas."

English Shipbuilders Slow

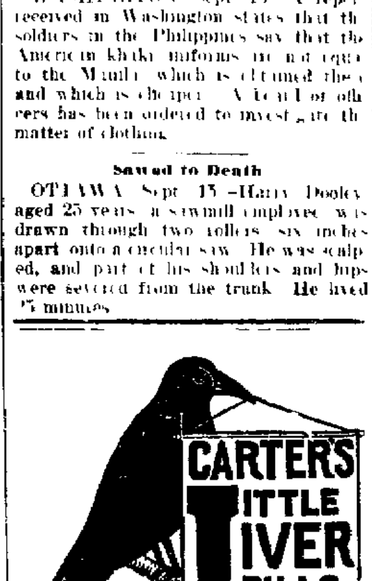
WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The contractors for building the armored cruiser Albany, the Armstrongs of England, are months behind in the delivery of the ship to our navy department and the attention of the department has been called to the matter. It is said at the department that she was promised last April and the department is embarrassed through the necessity it is under of keeping inspectors in England to watch the progress of the work according to regulations while they are needed elsewhere. The last report from the ship made the 1st of the present month showed that she was 87 per cent advanced toward completion.

Manila Uniforms Better

WASHINGTON, Sept 15.—A report received in Washington states that the soldiers in the Philippines say that the American khaki uniforms are not equal to the Manila which is obtained there and which is cheaper. A board of officers has been ordered to investigate the matter of clothing.

Sawed to Death

OTTAWA, Sept. 15.—Harry Dooley, aged 25 years, a sawmill employee, was drawn through two rollers six inches apart onto a circular saw. He was scalped, and part of his shoulders and hips were severed from the trunk. He lived 25 minutes.



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A CONFERENCE URGED.

Africanders Make Strong Efforts For Pacification.

LONDON, Sept 15.—Dispatches from Cape Town attach great importance to an article in the Ons Land, the organ of the Africander bund, which urges the Transvaal government to renew its offer regarding a conference, declaring that there is no reason why the Transvaal should not accept a conference and calling attention to the fact that the word "suzerainty" is not mentioned by Mr. Chamberlain and that therefore there is nothing to indicate an obligation on the part of either government to abandon its views on the subject.

This article is understood to be the outcome of an important Africander caucus held to discuss the Chamberlain note and it is understood that the argument has been fortified by strong messages to Pretoria urging the volksraad to forego the suzerainty objection and to concede the British proposals. There is every reason to believe that Mr. Hofmeyr, the Africander leader, has wired President Kruger to the same effect, and similar representations have been telegraphed from the Orange Free State.

The Pretoria correspondent of The Daily Telegraph says: "The members of the volksraad received Mr. Chamberlain's dispatch defiantly today (Thursday). Individual members declare that Great Britain must moderate her demands.

"On the other hand, a rumor is current that President Kruger favors compliance and has even suggested that he desires the irreconcilables to leave Pretoria and consult their constituents, thereby avoiding their opposition. This belief is held in Johannesburg and accounts for the hopeful condition of the market, but the general public is pessimistic."

The Cape Town correspondent of The Daily News says: "A thousand men are engaged in strengthening the defenses of Pretoria. Trenches are being excavated and earthworks constructed."

It is reported that both raads will adjourn at the end of the week to enable members to consult their constituents on the questions raised by Mr. Chamberlain's dispatch.

CAPTAIN TILLMAN'S COMMAND

He Will Organize a Platoon of Educated Indians

WASHINGTON, Sept 15.—James H. Tillman, a son of ex-Representative Tillman of South Carolina, and who served as colonel of the Second South Carolina volunteers in the Spanish war, has been promised by the president a captaincy in one of the new volunteer regiments. Colonel Tillman came to Washington hoping to raise an independent company of scouts. The president did not approve of forming any independent commands at this time, but said there was no objection to [illegible] a certain proportion of Indians in [illegible] which he authorized Captain Tillman to organize. A. A. Garard, formerly in the Rough Riders, has been [illegible] lieutenant of Captain Tillman's company.

One platoon of the company will be composed of educated Indians, including [illegible] of the Cherokee, Nez Perces and other tribes. [illegible] tribes are now being [illegible] been in Washington [illegible] Captain Tillman. The [illegible] will be composed of South Carolina [illegible].

Governor Roosevelt's Movements

LOWVILLE, N. Y., Sept 15.—Governor Roosevelt [illegible] Lewis county fair yesterday and delivered an address to 8,000 people. He arrived [illegible] from [illegible] and was escorted [illegible] the fair grounds [illegible] Immediately after leaving [illegible] the governor walked [illegible] between the [illegible] of the veterans and greeted [illegible] handshake [illegible] He was [illegible] by A. D. Shaw of Watertown, the commander of the Grand Army. Judge Charles P. Scott, aged 98, the oldest member of the state [illegible] of the committee [illegible] who acted as an escort to the governor.

A California Stage Robbery

NAPA, Cal., Sept 15.—The Calistoga and Lakeport stage was robbed yesterday by a solitary highwayman, who made off with the [illegible] box. At the scene of the robbery the road runs through heavy [illegible] and [illegible] the stage driver was confronted by a masked [illegible] who covered him with his shotgun and [illegible] stop. The [illegible] were drawn up [illegible] the highwayman abstracted [illegible] express box but [illegible] States mail bag and made [illegible] the passengers.

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COLD IN HEAD

M'KINLEY'S MESSAGE

His Greeting to the Nebraska Troops Read by Meiklejohn

OMAHA, Sept 15.—In his address to the First Nebraska regiment yesterday Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn said:

"It is with deep regret that I have to announce to you that affairs of state preclude President McKinley from being present with us on this occasion. To the volunteers of Nebraska he sends by me his greetings and congratulations in these words:

"'Pressure of public business prevents me from accepting the very cordial invitation extended to participate in the welcome to be accorded the First Nebraska volunteers. It is a source of great regret to me that I shall be unable to be present, and while I cannot give myself that pleasure I am glad to have this opportunity to express to the officers and men of the regiment my sincere greetings and congratulations.

"'The Nebraska volunteers were among the first to respond to the call of the executive. How conspicuously they have realized every patriotic expectation is known to their state and country. With the other splendid regiments of volunteers and regulars they rendered devoted and uncomplaining service for months; they refused to avail themselves of the privilege of muster out; they sustained and strengthened the government; they stood by the flag and kept it stainless.

"'At this time of homecoming and reunion it is a source of deep gratification that the health of the regiment is good, its morale of the best and that the losses sustained have been no greater, although relatively larger than in most of those serving in the Philippines.

"'Our thoughts go out to the absent ones who by sickness or death have made devoted sacrifice in the nation's service. The families of these brave men have our loving sympathy, and the heroism of their deeds will grow brighter with each passing year.

"'I send every good wish that the welcome given to the First Nebraska may be most generous and patriotic.'"

Captain Sutherland Exonerated.

WASHINGTON, Sept 15.—Acting Secretary Allen has received the report of the court of inquiry which investigated the collision between the U. S. S. Dolphin and the ferryboat New York in New York harbor about two months ago. The report completely exonerates Commander Sutherland and the other officers of the Dolphin from responsibility for the accident and the damage resulting.

Naval Movements

WASHINGTON, Sept 15.—The New Orleans and the Detroit have arrived at San Juan. The last named vessel is on her way to La Guayra to look after American interests there during the impending [illegible] of the revolution. The Alliance has sailed from Tangier for Madeira. The north Atlantic squadron will leave Philadelphia today and arrive at Tompkinsville on the 16th.

Geneva Soldiers Numerous

GENEVA, N. Y., Sept 15.—Dexter Sturges of Geneva has been promoted from first lieutenant to captain in the Twenty seventh volunteer infantry, which regiment is now bound for Manila. There are now known to be 23 Geneva soldiers now in the Philippines, with four more on their way. Geneva's population is only 12,000, and the proportion is considered a high one.

An Advance in Glassware Expected

PITTSBURG, Sept 15.—The recently formed glass tableware combination, the National Glass company, has withdrawn all quotations on prices. The salesmen employed by the individual concerns have all been called in and instructed to make no sales on the way home. A stiff advance in prices is expected and may be announced in a few days.

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MIDDLETOWN [illegible] BRANCH. Leave Main St. Middletown for Pine Bush at 11 40 a m daily [illegible] p m daily.

MONTGOMERY BRANCH. Leave Goshen for Montgomery at 7 25 a m daily except Sunday, 11 20 a m daily [illegible] p m daily except Sundays and Holidays, 6 31 p m Holidays only.

PINE ISLAND BRANCH.—Leave Goshen for Pine Island at 11 30 a m [illegible] p m daily except Sunday.

NEWBURGH [illegible] Leave Turners for Newburgh at 7 34 a m daily except Sundays and Holidays [illegible] p m daily [illegible] p m Sundays and Holidays only.

NEWBURGH [illegible] Leave [illegible] for Newburgh at 7 45 a m daily except Sundays and Holidays [illegible] except Sundays and Holidays, 6.20 p m daily except Sunday [illegible].

NOTE—Holiday train will leave Chambers St. 2 1[illegible] p m Saturdays, arriving at Middletown [illegible] p m.

35 North St. TOMPKINS. Middletown.

We closed the summer books the first of this month on the greatest volume of business the store ever had,—practically doubling past records in same lines of goods. This is not a boast, but a chance to say "thank you" and to draw some conclusions. Used to be that stores counted certain trade as their own, and when Mrs. A's daughter became Mrs. B the store folks were apt to speak of "our Mrs. B." There is less of that proprietorship, almost none of it nowadays. This store's emancipation has brought a business freedom that is healthy all around. All to their own thinking and buy where they can be best served. This vastly largest summer business means that thousands of thinking people have found this store the advantageous place to make purchases.

The autumn store greets you. It will be newly ready each day as this great exposition unfolds all that we've found best for personal and home adornment. Welcome to neighbors, town folks and visitors.

Special Attractions This September Week.

September Showing of Dress Fabrics.
September Sale of Winter Underwear.
September Sale of New Jackets.
September Blanket Sale.
September Sale of New Suits for Women.
September Sale of Ladies' Walking Hats.

DRESS GOODS SHOW THIS WEEK. You and we have made this the principal dress goods store of this city. An expert dress goods man studies plans and buys, but only with your compliance. Goods must go as well as come and the law of supply and demand can never be repealed. The principal dress goods store because year after year more thousands prove it and are satisfied that it is the best. Our large well lighted dress goods department is now in the full bloom of beauty.

The most exclusive fabrics on separate tables. Those principally from France and while you will find many different patterns to choose from both in plaids and figured goods there is but one dress length of any particular pattern so that if you buy a dress from these no one will have a dress exactly like yours. Such weaves are costly, yet we bring them to you as cheaply as we can. Prices $1.50 to $2.50 a yard.

Across the main aisle are beautiful, but plainer stuffs, 75c to $1.50 a yard. And near by the Broadcloths at 75c, $1 to $1.50 a yard. Many styles of plaids are shown at 35c to $1.50 yard.

BLACK DRESS GOODS have a section to themselves.

Plain Cheviots 50c to $1
Granite Cheviots 50c to $1
Black Henriettas 50c to $1.50
Plain black Serges 50c to $1.50

But the Crepons are the richest of all.

Mohair figured Crepons 75c, $1, $1.75 a yard
Wool figured Crepons $1 and $1.10 a yard
Silk figured Crepons $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 and $2 a yard

THIS SEPTEMBER BLANKET SALE. We have had blanket sales in the past years with values of which we were justly proud, but with a year's added experience of blankets and makers, and some unusually favorable conditions of which we promptly took advantage, we have ready this fall the very best values in the very best blankets ever offered in the history of blanket selling.

At 35c a pair white or gray blankets, full size, regular price 50c a pair.

At 7[illegible] a pair [illegible] gray white wool blankets that will [illegible] to bring $1 when this lot is gone.

The blankets that we are selling at $1, $1.25 up to $2.50 a pair are worth a third more.

At $3.25 a pair extra heavy white wool blankets with pink and blue borders.

At $4 a pair white blankets with pure wool filling on [illegible] cotton warp.

At $5 a pair [illegible] white wool blankets worth $6.50.

COTTON COMFORTABLES.

At 75c each, worth $1.00
At $1 each, worth $1.35
At $1.[illegible] each, worth $1.50
At $1 [illegible] each, worth $[illegible]

WOMEN'S SEPARATE SKIRTS. [illegible] finds us selling more separate skirts, enough better ready to sell them—for every woman in the land acknowledges the good sense of the fashion that makes such variety of dress possible. Two or three waists and separate skirts are a big portion of the needed wardrobe.

SOME OF THE NEWEST.

At $2.50, $4, $4.50 and $5. Skirts of navy blue, black and Oxford cheviots, with flat pleated or habit back, percaline lined.

At $10. Skirts of good quality, figured black taffeta silk, habit back, percaline lined.

NEW SUITS FOR WOMEN. We told two weeks ago of thirty sample suits bought at a third off because the traveling man used them as samples. They went in a jiffy. Now from another suit house we have just received a lot of 25 sample suits at same concession, a chance while they last to save $3 to $6 on a new suit. Prices range from $7 to $20, worth $10 to $30.

200 DOZEN WALKING HATS AND GOLF HATS. We bought this big lot direct from the factory, selling loads of them. We bought them for mere nothing because they are a little imperfect. That's the reason you can buy ready trimmed sailors, walking hats, golf hats and Misses' trimmed felts here at 39c, 59c, 75c and 99c each, worth three times these prices.

SEPTEMBER SALE OF WINTER UNDERWEAR. This September underwear sale is closely doubling its predecessor in volume, and the movement has been one of growth every year. We presume any considerable store could launch a special sale and keep it going after a fashion a few seasons, but to keep a business growing at a rate that almost doubles the second year's volume in the third year indicates merit.

Buy your underwear at this great SEPTEMBER UNDERWEAR SALE, later on when these lots are gone it will cost you much more.

FOR MEN

At 50c fleeced lined underwear, double breasted or single breasted shirts, drawers to match, worth 50c to 75c. We had eight cases of this lot, but they are going fast and no more can be had at these prices.

At 75c each men's plain white merino or gray merino underwear worth 50c.

At 75c each men's gray camel's hair wool underwear, the $1 quality.

At $1 each men's fine camel's hair underwear, double breasted shirt and drawers with double seats, actual value $1.35 each.

At $1.35 each finest camel's hair wool underwear worth $2.00. Also scarlet and white wool underwear at $1.50 and $1.25.

FOR WOMEN.

At 15c each Ladies' ribbed vests or pants, good weight for this time of the year.

At 25c each good heavy ribbed vests or pants, with silk ribbon at neck, fleeced lined.

At 35c each Ladies' ribbed underwear or white merino underwear worth 50c.

At 75c each Ladies' gray camel's hair underwear worth $1.

At $1 each Ladies' fine gray camel's hair underwear, the $1.50 kind.

Also Ladies' scarlet and white lamb's wool underwear.

FOR CHILDREN.

At 5c each shirts and drawers for babies, heavy weight.

At 15c each child's underwear in winter weight, fleeced lined, to fit child up to about 7 years old.

At 25c fleeced lined underwear to fit girl or boy from 8 to 16 years old, ribbed or plain, all fleeced lined; others in gray or white wool at proportionally low prices.

TOMPKINS.

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MRS JOHN WOLFE

[illegible], Wis.

All druggists are [illegible] Dr Miles [illegible] first bottle will [illegible] be re[illegible] Miles [illegible] free of [illegible] and [illegible] Dr Miles

REAL ESTATE SALE

We the undersigned will sell at public au[ction] at the Holding House on East Main S[treet], the city of Middletown N Y [illegible] 1899 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon the f[ollowing] real estate

1 Farm known as the John Dec[illegible] Farm situate about one mile below Dert[illegible] containing about 200 acres This is a very productive farm and in a good state of cultivation

2 House and lot [illegible] Fulton street in the city of Middletown N Y House contains [illegible]

3 House and lot [illegible] Fulton street Middletown N Y House contains [illegible] rooms Barn on [illegible]

4 House and lot [illegible] Fulton street Middletown N Y House contains [illegible] rooms Barn [illegible]

5 22 lots on Sprague avenue in [the] city of Middletown N Y

6 House and lot on [illegible] Stanton street Middletown N Y House on [illegible] 6 rooms

7 House and lot on S Stanton street Middletown N Y House contains 4 rooms

8 Lot on Genung street 50 by 14[illegible]

These properties must be sold and a great [op]portunity will be afforded [illegible] at this sale Terms at day of sale or on app[lication] to the undersigned Maps can be inspected at our residence

Dated Sept [illegible] 1899

[illegible]toSept-1 H F [illegible] Meyer Owners

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"I have used your valuable CASCARETS [illegible] which [illegible] and we[illegible] pletely cured [illegible] Once tried [illegible] the family [illegible]

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Pleasant Palatable Potent Taste Good Do Good Never Sicken Weaken or Gripe [illegible]

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NO-TO-BAC [illegible] gists to CURE Tobacco Ha[bit]

PUBLIC SALE OF ALL THE PROPERTY OF THE MIDDLETOWN GOSHEN TRACTION COMPANY IN ITS ENTIRETY

Under and by virtue of the power [illegible] vested in the undersigned as [illegible] receiver of the Middletown Goshen Traction Company by reason of his appointment as [such] Receiver by the Supreme Court of the State of New York in and by a certain order and judgment made and granted on the 1[illegible] day [illegible] and in pursuance of a certain order of sale [illegible] made by the Supreme Court of the State of New York dated July [illegible] 1899 and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York Borough of Manhattan the undersigned Receiver of the Middletown Goshen [Traction] Company will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the [illegible] of September 1899 at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day at the Russell House [illegible] on James street in the city of Middletown Orange county N Y the entire property of the said Middletown Goshen Traction Company in entirety as one entire [illegible] lar the business franchises good will [illegible] real and personal property rights privileges and equities road and road bed [illegible] leases contracts tracks switches [illegible] poles wires cars equitable rights [illegible] and equipment and all other [illegible] ing to the aforesaid Middletown Goshen Traction Company except books and book accounts monies in hand or due and except [illegible] from the said sale the outstanding accounts [illegible] and notes or drafts due and owing to the said Middletown Goshen Traction Company

The aforesaid property consists of about thirteen and one-half miles of standard [illegible] road constructed and operated through the streets and avenues of the city of Middletown Orange county New York and to the State Hospital at said Middletown and also between said Middletown and through the Town of Wallkill [illegible] Midway Park and [illegible] of Goshen to the village of Goshen the county seat of said county of Orange [illegible] extension of said road from the [illegible] said city of Middletown northward [illegible] miles extending into the town of Wallkill [illegible] power house [illegible] shop seven open [illegible] snow plow and freight car two [illegible] engines of 100 horse power each three [illegible] of 125 horse power each three generators [illegible] board lathes drills pumps tools [illegible] furniture and repairing materials [illegible] is in good repair and has been in [illegible] operation since 1894

The real estate lands [illegible] Midway Park on the Wallkill [illegible] of Wallkill Orange county N Y [illegible] leases rights privileges [illegible] conveyed by Ernest W Wightman [illegible] the Middletown [illegible] deed dated [illegible] in Orange County [illegible] page [illegible] August [illegible] said deed [illegible] as a part of said property

The farm and real estate known as the farm containing about ninety [illegible] situate in said town of Wallkill [illegible] ing the said Midway Park and being all the lands and premises conveyed [by Ernest] Wightman and wife to the Middletown [Goshen and Wurtsboro] Electric Railway Company [by deed] dated May 1st 1896 and duly recorded in Orange County Records [illegible] Book [illegible] page 106 June 15 1896 as by reference to [which] will more fully appear will also be sold as part of said property

Said property will be sold subject to the following liens Two mortgages to secure [illegible] issues amounting to the sum of $[illegible] principal and all unpaid interest coupons

The judgment held and owned by the city of Middletown of about the sum of $1 [illegible]

The bond and mortgage held and owned by the Middletown Savings Bank for the sum of $1,500 principal and all interest thereon

All the Receiver's certificates now [illegible] ing amounting to about the sum of $4[illegible]

The taxes due and unpaid amounting to the sum of $2,044

All other lawful liens [illegible] to which [the] property will be sold will be fully specified [illegible] erated and set forth in the terms of sale

WILLIAM B ROYCE as Permanent [Receiver] of the Middletown Goshen Traction Co Middletown N Y

VANAMEE & VAIL Attorneys [illegible] No 4 East Main street Middletown N Y

[illegible]

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AMUSEMENT NOTES.

Sept 1[illegible]—Musical entertainment under an auspices of W R [illegible] at [illegible] H R by Fred A Hentl

Sept [illegible] Concert by Mr Weeden under the auspices of Heart to Heart Circle of King's Daughters

Oct 1—Grand Fire Parade

—Oct 1[illegible] in [illegible] room at No [illegible] East Main street by Ladies Aid Society of Baptist Church

—Nov 20—[illegible] calx fair

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

—Boy wanted

—Girl wanted

—Fur [illegible] wanted

—S[illegible] at Crosby's

—Winter blankets at Weller & Demerest's

—[illegible] glasses at Crosby's

WEATHER INDICATIONS

[illegible]

Washington Sept 15—[Fair] tonight warm [illegible] in southwest portions Saturday [illegible] showers and warmer fresh [illegible] winds

THE TEMPERATURE

[illegible] 45 [illegible] 60 [illegible] 70

FRIDAY SEPT 15 1899

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Monhagen's [illegible] tonight

—Straw hats were called in [illegible] day

—Ellenville's school tax is $11.80 per $1,000 of assessed valuation

—The golf tournament tomorrow will be started promptly at 2 o'clock

—The Ellenville tannery has been taken into the American Hide and Leather Company

—In Ulster county gray squirrels are reported [illegible] and rabbits as very plenty

—[illegible] delicious buck[wheat] cream 30 cents per quart only Delivered free by [illegible] 34 North street [illegible]

—Frost did considerable damage to buckwheat in some parts of Wayne county last week

—[illegible] last night on low lands in this section but it was not heavy enough to do any material damage

—Special sale—men's heavy 3 sole [illegible] shoes English backstay [illegible] last at $2 per pair

[illegible] & VANSICKLE

[illegible]

—[illegible] peach grower has been [illegible] an average of $100 a day for some weeks for peaches sold from his orchards—[illegible]

—[illegible] working very [illegible]

—[illegible] in the Ramsdell [illegible] Business and Shorthand [illegible] North street Middletown

[illegible]

PERSONAL

—[illegible] the well known [illegible] is in town today

—[illegible]

—[illegible]

—Mrs A R [illegible] City Attorney and Mrs John [illegible]

—Mrs [illegible]

—Miss [illegible] Mrs [illegible] Wright [illegible]

—[illegible]

—Miss [illegible] Saturday [illegible]—[illegible] Herald

—[illegible] Newburgh was in town yesterday on business pertaining to the [illegible] day

—Silver Dollar Smith the well known New York politician is a guest at [illegible] Kenoza Lake [illegible]

[illegible]

—Mr and Mrs [illegible]

[illegible] Ellenville [illegible] parade in Middletown [illegible] 12—Ellenville Press

TURF AND HORSE NOTES

—[illegible] by May King now [illegible] State [illegible] is a tongue twister [illegible] was named by a stable boy It is the Spanish rendition of Fleetwood [illegible] the Spanish pronunciation—[illegible]

Dance and Cake Walk

The cake walk which was a feature of the [illegible] dance at the Assembly Rooms Thursday night proved a great success About a dozen couples participated and the cake was awarded to Miss [illegible] and Bert [illegible]

HYMENEAL NOTES

—The [illegible] of [illegible] Nathaniel [illegible] of East Division town of Goshen and Miss Gussie daughter of Mr [and] Mrs [illegible] is announced—[illegible]

Fell from a Car and Broke His Ankle

W [illegible] a saloon keeper of Port Jervis and formerly of this city [illegible] Thursday [illegible] He was carried to the Cottage Hospital [illegible] Dr Schultz set the injured [illegible]

Cake Pie and Salted Peanuts

The [illegible] of the First Congregational church will hold a sale of cakes pies and salted peanuts at the store of Dewey & Mundy on Saturday Sept 16 It

Reduction of Price

The Sunday edition of the New York Times will hereafter be sold for five cents in the city instead of [illegible] cents as in the past

Volcanic Eruptions

Are grand but Skin Eruptions rob [illegible] Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures [them] also Old Running and Fever Sores Ulcers Boils Felons Corns Warts Cuts Bruises Burns Scalds Chapped Hands Chilblains Best Pile cure on earth Drives out Pains and Aches Only 25cts a box Cure guaranteed Sold by J J Chambers's Druggist

Fresh [illegible] treat of creating

COUNTY SEAT NEWS.

Recent Events and Happenings in Goshen

TO FORM AN ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

At a Barn Dance in Chester—Back from the Penitentiary—School Children's Holiday—Gone to the Adirondacks—Other Notes

From Our Regular Correspondent

—Next Tuesday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, the pupils of the academic and fourth grammar departments of the High School will meet with Principal G H Baskerville for the purpose of perfecting an athletic organization electing officers organizing a football team etc The school will go in strongly for athletics this year and has the necessary timber to make a good showing

—Goshen's young people were much in evidence at the barn dance at the residence of Joseph Board at Chester Thursday night

—Cyrella Mims has returned from a lengthy sojourn at the Albany penitentiary

—School was dismissed as soon as the attendance was taken today and the scholars are taking in the fair

—Miss Florence Bacon will give the last of her series of lawn parties this afternoon

—Miss Ruth Woodruff has returned to the Maspeth school, Brooklyn

—John VanVliet started Thursday morning for the Adirondacks where he will join J Floyd Halstead They will hunt for two weeks in the North Woods

—Mrs Edson [illegible] Price has returned from a visit at Newark

—Court Goshen, Foresters of America will meet in monthly session tonight

—Mrs James I Hoffman and daughter will soon remove to Bristol, Rhode Island

ORANGE COUNTY FAIR

Continued from First Page

[illegible] R[illegible] black [illegible] J A Bodine Bloomingburgh 2

Golden Seabright hen R Herman Mgr Rhinebeck I J A Bodine Bloomingburgh 2

Silver Seabright hen W Q Minturn Warwick 1

R C Black cock W Q Minturn, Warwick 1

R C Black hen W Q Minturn Warwick, 1

R C White cock W Q Minturn Warwick 1

R C White hen W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Japanese hen W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Japanese cockerel W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Japanese pullet W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Pekin [illegible] Cochin Bantam W Q Minturn Warwick 1

P[illegible] White Pekin or Cochin Bantam D L Orr Orr's Mills 1

Pekin or Cochin cock H W Schriver [illegible] Chester 1

[illegible] Buff Cochin cock R Herman Mgr Rhinebeck 1

Pekin White Cochin cock J A Bodine Bloomingburg 1

Pekin Black Cochin cock J A Bodine Bloomingburg 1

Pekin or Cochin [illegible] W Q Minturn Warwick 2

Buff Cochin hen R Herman Mgr Rhinebeck 1

Black Cochin hen R Herman Mgr Rhinebeck 1 and 2

White Cochin hen R Herman Mgr Rhinebeck 2

White Cochin hen J A Bodine Bloomingburgh 1

Pekin or Cochin cockerel H W Schriver [illegible] Chester 1 H H Davey Westtown 2

White Cochin cockerel R Herman Mgr Rhinebeck 1

Black Cochin cockerel J A Bodine Bloomingburg 1

Pekin or Cochin pullet H W Schriver Chester 1

White pullet R Herman Mgr Rhinebeck 1 J A Bodine Bloomingburgh 2

Ten Light Brahma Bantams D L Orr Orr's Mills 1

Light Brahma Bantam cock D L Orr Orr's Mills 1

Light Brahma Bantam hen D L Orr Orr's Mills 1

Light Brahma Bantam pullet D L Orr Orr's Mills 1

Pen S G Dorking J A Bodine Bloomingburgh 1

Pen Light Brahmas W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Light Brahma hen W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Pen Dark Brahmas W Q Minturn Warwick 1

[illegible] Brahma cock W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Dark Brahma hen W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Dark Brahma pullet W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Pen Buff Cochins W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Buff Cochin hen W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Buff Cochin pullet W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Pen Partridge Cochin W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Partridge Cochin cock W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Partridge Cochin hen W Q Minturn Warwick 1

Pen White Cochin, W Q Minturn, Warwick 1

White Cochin hen W Q Minturn, Warwick 1

Pen Langshans H H Davey Westtown 1

Langshan cock N R Feagles Pine Island, 1

Langshan hen N R Feagles, Pine Island, 1

Indian Game cock F H Davey, Westtown 1

Indian Game hen F H Davey Westtown 1

Pen White Indian Game D L Orr Orr's Mills, 1 R Herman Mgr Rhinebeck 2

White Indian Game cock, D L Orr, Orr's Mills 1 and 2

Indian Game hen, D L Orr, Orr's Mills 1 and 2

Indian Game cockerel D L Orr, Orr's Mills 1 R Herman Mgr Rhinebeck 2

White Indian Game pullet D L Orr Orr's Mills 1 R Herman mgr Rhinebeck 2 Cock J A Bodine Bloomingburgh 1

Bronze turkeys, old Campbell Farm, Middletown 1

Bronze turkeys young, L S Wisner Middletown 1

Toulouse geese old F H Davey Westtown 1 Mrs S Smith, Mount Hope, 2

Toulouse geese young, Mrs S Smith, Mount Hope 1

Embden geese young M V Shoemaker Middletown, 1

White Muscovy ducks old R Carr Florida, 1

Colored Muscovy ducks, old, R Carr, Florida, 1

Crested White ducks, old, J R Slawson, Middletown, 1.

Crested White ducks, young, J R Slawson, Middletown, 1, H W Schriver, Chester 2

Pekin ducks, old, Willow Crest Poultry Yards, Goshen, 1, R Carr, Florida, 2

Pekin ducks, young, N R Feagles Pine Island, 1, Willow Crest Poultry Yards, Goshen, 2

DOGS

Judge—R K Armstrong, Highland Falls

Beagle female and puppies, George Osborn Circleville, 2

Bull dog, male, Horatio S Wisner, Warwick 1

Collie, male, J R Black, Middletown, 2

Dachshunde male, Martin Thomo, Goshen, 1

Fox hound, male Mrs Abram Van Tassel, Middletown, 1 Aquila Springstead Middletown 2

Mastiff male, Wm W Hull, Middletown 2 pug, male, Fred DeGraw, Middletown 1

St Bernard male Martin Thomo, 2

English setter, male Lewis Wilcox, Pine Island 2

English setter, and puppies, H Otto, Otisville, 1

Irish setter male, R J Cahill, Montgomery, 1 J H Conklin, Goshen 2

King Charles spaniel female, Henry Green, Arden 2

King Charles spaniel, female, Henry Green 2

Bull terrier male, S A Goldsmith, Middletown, 2

Fox terrier, female Mrs E V Mill[illegible], Middletown, 2

Shepherd dog male, W Conner, 2

Bassett hound female, Thomas Southwell 2

FLOWERS AND PLANTS—PROFESSIONAL

Judge—Wm Gray, Middletown

Flowering potted plants Mrs Geo S Belding, Middletown, 1 foliage plants 1 begonias, 1 ferns, 1 cannas 1 palms 1 sago palms, [illegible] 1 verbenas 1 collection of flowers 1 ornamental arrangement 1 bouquet, 1 bouquet of wild flowers 1 dahlias cut 1 pink cut, 1 wreath of flowers 1 basket of flowers asters cut 1 roses cut 1

FLOWERS AND PLANTS, AMATEUR

Judge Wm Gray Middletown

Flowering potted plants, Mrs G [illegible] Bloomingburg 1

Foliage plants Mrs G H Godfrey [illegible] Lord Washingtonville [illegible] Sarah A Williams Port Jervis 3

[illegible] Sarah A Williams Port [illegible] Mrs Ellsworth Smith, [Wash]ingtonville 2

[illegible] Mrs M B Decker Bloomingburg 1

Ferns Mrs G H Godfrey Bloomingburg 1

Fuchsias Mrs G H Godfrey 2

[illegible] Mrs G H Godfrey 1

[illegible] Mrs A Powell Bellvale 1

Lilies Mrs G H Godfrey 1 Mrs A Powell 2

[illegible] Mrs G H Godfrey 1 Mrs Wm Kortright Middletown 2

[illegible] Mrs A Powell 1

Verbena Mrs A Powell 1

Col of cut flowers Sarah Williams Port Jervis 1 Mrs Ellsworth Smith [Wa]shingtonville 2

Ornamental arrangement Mrs M B Decker 1 Sarah Williams 2 Mrs G H Godfrey 3

[illegible] Mrs M B Decker, 1 Sarah Williams 2

Bouquet wild flowers Sarah Williams 1 Mrs M B Decker 2

Basket of flowers Sarah Williams 1 Mrs M B Decker 2 Mrs G H Godfrey 3

Asters cut Sarah Williams 1 Mrs G H Godfrey 2 Mrs Grace M Mapes, Howells 3

Wreath of flowers Mrs M B Decker 1 Sarah Williams 2

Coxcombs cut Sarah Williams, 1 Mrs G [H] Godfrey 2

Dahlias cut Mrs G H Godfrey 1 Mrs John C Miller Howells 2

Everlasting flowers [illegible] Sarah Williams 1 Mrs A Powell 2

Gladiolus cut Mrs M B Decker, 1 Mrs G H Godfrey 2, Mrs A Powell 3

[illegible] cut Annie Gildersleeve, Middletown, 1 Sarah Williams 2

[illegible] cut Sarah Williams, 1, Mrs G H Godfrey 2

Pinks cut Sarah Williams 1 Mrs M B Decker 2

Roses cut Sarah Williams, Port Jervis 1 Mrs M B Decker 2

Sweet peas cut Mrs A Powell, Bellvale 2

Ten Weeks stock cut Sarah Williams 1

[illegible] roses cut Sarah Williams 1, Mrs E W Fowler Middletown 2

Zennias cut Mrs G H Godfrey 1 Grace M Mapes, 2

Lilies Mrs M B Decker 1

Lace asparagus Mrs M B Decker 1

Marigolds Mrs A Powell 1

[Nast]urtiums Sarah Williams 1 Mrs A Powell 2

Sunflowers Mrs A Powell 2

Snapdragon Sarah Williams 2 [illegible] 1 [illegible] 1 verbenas 2 abutilons 2 broken column of flowers 2

Chinese lantern plant Mrs G H Price 1

VEGETABLES

Judges P R Pelton Monticello I M Bate Slate Hill

Collection of vegetables Mrs G S Belding Middletown 1 Dean Ferris Peekskill 2

Lima beans A C Ogden Middletown 1 Sarah Williams Port Jervis [illegible]

String beans, Dean Ferris Peekskill 1 A C Ogden Middletown 2

Beans eline N F Clark Bellvale [illegible] 1

[illegible] R C Masten Washington Hollow 1 red kidney, 1 golden wax 1

Collection of beets Dean Ferris, 1, Table beets A C Ogden, I A B [illegible] Maybrook 2

Mangel wurtzel beets, I T Mapes Howells 1

Field beets E L Bull Circleville, [illegible]

Collection of cabbage Dean Ferris Peekskill 1 I T Mapes, 2

Three heads cabbage Henderson's early summer, I T Mapes 1 succession 1 late york 1 early wakefield 1

Autumn king J M VanAlst, Montgomery, 1 cauliflower 1

Half long carrots I T Mapes, 1.

Carrots E L Bull, 1

Celery Dean Ferris 1

Cucumbers J M VanAlst 1, S [illegible] Bloomingburg 2 new [em]erald I E Lee Howells 1 C E Mapes 2 long green I T Mapes, 1 W Conner Scotchtown 2 green [cl]uster H Kirby Middletown, 1, white spine I W Ralston 1 C E Mapes 2 [illegible] white crisp H Kirby, 1 early cluster I W Ralston, 2, yellow seed C E Mapes 1

Gherkins, Sarah Williams, Port Jervis 1

Kohl Rabi Dean Ferris, 1.

Lettuce Dean Ferris 1 A C Ogden 2

Collection of melons L H Mapes, 1 H L Kanne, Montgomery 2.

Citron melons, Thos Fitzgerald, Mt Hope 1 Dean Ferris, 2

Musk melons, W Conner, 1. Dean Ferris 2

Grand Rapids melons, L H Mapes, 1

Hackensack melon, J M. VanAlst, 1, H L Kanne 2

Black bowlder watermelons, L H. Mapes 1

Mountain sweet watermelons, L. S. Wisner [illegible]

Okra Dean Ferris 1

Onions globe, R V Ryerson, Denton, 1, Robt Carr Florida, 2

Onions, red, M. S Askew, 1; Emmet L. Bull, 2

Col of Tomatoes, Dean Ferris, Peekskill 1

Tomatoes Enormous, W Conner, Scotchtown, 1, early [illegible], I. T. Mapes, Howells 1 [illegible] C. E. Mapes, Howells, 1 I T Mapes 2; stones 1, 1900, 1, [illegible] 1, I T. Mapes, red pear, N F Clark, Bellvale 1 C E Mapes 2 red plum, N. F. Clark 1 pear C E. Mapes, 1, N F Clark 2 [illegible] N F Clark, 1 [illegible], C F Mapes, 1 royal red Sarah Williams 1 ponde rosa C F Mapes, 1, W Conner, Scotchtown 2 yellow pear N F Clark 1 C E Mapes 2 yellow plum W J Comfort, Howells 1 N F Clark 2, plum C E Mapes 1 strawberry W Conner, 2

Kale, Mrs A Powell 1

Chinese cucumber, Jacob Young, Middletown 1

Rhubarb E L Bull, Circleville, 1. Miss Jennie Ostrom Goshen 2

Salsify Dean Ferris Peekskill 1

Collection of squashes Dean Ferris 1

Squashes—Boston Marrow Mrs S Smith Mt Hope 1 A C Ogden Middletown 2 Chili [illegible] Book, Middletown 1 F I Bull, 2 Summer Crookneck H Kirby Middletown 1 I W Ralston Howells, 2 Winter Crookneck J M VanAlst 1 A Harlen Johnson, 2 Hubbard J M Burwell Montgomery 1 Thomas E Lee Howells, 2 [illegible] Hubbard J M Burwell 1 Marble Head J M Burwell, 1 Mammoth Yellow E L Bull 1 Perfect Gem W Conner, Scotchtown 1 Dean Ferris 2 [illegible] Scallop Dean Ferris 1 Largest J M VanAlst 1 Japanese Pie Mrs S Smith, 1 Tennessee Field E L Bull, 1

Onions white, M S Askew Fair Oaks 1 Robt Carr Florida, 2

Onions yellow, M S Askew, 1 R V Ryerson Denton 2

Parsley Dean Ferris 1 parsnips 1

Collection of peppers N F Clark 1 Dean Ferris 2

Peppers small N F Clark 1 Dean Ferris 2

Peppers large, N F Clark 1, I T Mapes 2

Pumpkins cheese Mrs F Smith Washingtonville 1 Dean Ferris 2

Pumpkins field I W Ralston 1 W Conner 2

Largest pumpkins J M VanAlst 1 Mrs E [illegible] Lord Washingtonville 2

Mammoth tours pumpkin E L Bull 1

Golden marrow pumpkin E. L Bull 1; mammoth pot iron pumkin 1

Radishes Dean Ferris 1

ANGEL CAKES SPECIAL PRIZES

There were fourteen entries for special prizes for best angel cakes flavored with [illegible] & Rogers [illegible] Vanilla [illegible] with which [illegible]

The prizes were finally awarded as follows

First prize one dozen McMonagle & Rogers' Premium Flavors to Mrs Sarah M Martin of Johnson

Second prize $2.00 two dollars in [cash] to Miss Z[illegible] Greene of Middletown

[Third] prize $1.00 one dollar in [cash] to Mrs C H Mapes of Middletown

PREMIUMS ON HORSES

Among the Middletown horses which took premiums were

Dr [illegible] Rower second

S Spinover brood mare and foal, third

Knapp & Merritt pair matched carriage third

Campbell Farm pony under 14 hands second

Frank Rogers 4 year old mare or gelding first

J D Osterhout's matched pair, third

FARM IMPLEMENTS

Judges—I B Howe, Blooming Grove and Ebenezer Bull, Campbell Hall

Plows, J VanAleft & Co Newburgh, 1

Manure spreader C H Calkins Middletown 1

Hay fork and conveyor S D Horton Middletown 1 [illegible] S Gardner, Middletown 2

Wind mill S D Horton 1

Thresher J VanAleft & Co 1

Pump all purposes S D Horton 1 M A Lain Johnson 1

[illegible] milk strainer, [illegible] Lagerquist Oxford Depot 1

DRAWING, PENMANSHIP PHOTOGRAPHS

Judge—James Lozey Chester

Crayon Drawing A N Wage Middletown 1; Marion Rorty 2 Margaret Minturn Warwick special

Crayon portrait C Aug White Goshen 1 Marion Rorty, Middletown 2

Pencil drawing, portrait Marion Rorty 1

Pencil drawing, landscape, Edna Slaughter Crystal Run 1

Pencil drawing animals or birds Margaret Minturn, 2

Charcoal drawing fruit piece Florence Biggin, Middletown 1

Charcoal drawing still life Florence Biggin, 1

Charcoal drawing statue, Edna Slaughter 1 Florence Biggin 2 Marion Rorty special

Map drawing, Margaret Minturn 1

Original design book cover Annie Gildersleeve Middletown 1

Original design wall paper Annie Gildersleeve, 1

Original design rugs Annie Gildersleeve 1

Ornamental writing, W [illegible] Warwick 1

Pen picture Genevieve Ogden, Middletown, 1 Edna Slaughter 2

Photographs mounted Mitchell Art Studio Middletown 1

FANCY WORK

Judge Miss Emma T Simpson Passaic N J

Scrap bag M Owen Middletown 1

Embroidered [illegible] Cassie Hoffman, Florida special

Shopping bag May T Parker Goshen 1

Broom holder, Mrs E W Towner Middletown 1

Handkerchief case, Susie [illegible] Middletown, 1 Daisy Lee Middletown 2

Monogram fan, Genevieve Ogden Middletown 1

Photograph frame [illegible] Antoinette Sayer Goshen 1 Miss M A Chamberlain Chester 2 Sarah Williams Port Jervis special

Lamp shades paper, Antoinette Sayer, 1 Genevieve Ogden, Middletown, 2

Silk purse Cassie Hoffman, 1 Mrs V E Hill, Stony Ford 2

Taxidermist work, prof, J Gunther, medal

SHAWLS, HOSE, SACQUES MITTENS AND SKIRTS

Crochet cape, Grace M Mapes, Howells, special

Knit cape, Mamie Kellam, Summitville, 1, Charlotte S Towner, Monticello, 2: Mrs C. R Fuller, Middletown, special

Specimen of drawing, Mrs George Eastburn, Middletown 2

Cotton hose, hand made, Mrs W J Comfort, Howells, 1, J W Ralston, Howells 2

Woolen hose Mrs W J Comfort, 1

(Continued to-morrow)

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[illegible]

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FOR SALE at Wurtsboro, Sullivan county, six acres level garden land with nine room cottage, barn 20x30 feet and outbuildings, all in good repair Suited to truck gardening poultry raising and small fruits In edge of village on principal street Village water system and fire protection No incumbrance Good reasons for selling A nice country village home. For full particulars address or call on

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WANTED—A few furnished rooms at least two bedrooms ROOMS 67 East Ave 1t

CROSBY has another invoice of silk down sofa pillows in all sizes blue denim sofa pillow covers embroidery silks in all shades new handy pins the latest,

Crosby's Novelty Store 19 West Main St

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework MRS L S WISNER Wisner avenue 1t

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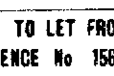
ONLY [illegible] left Mason's fruit jar rubbers 3 dozen for 10c Quality guaranteed DAYTON'S

CROSBY is selling jelly glasses without covers at 2c come in and look at the rag dolls at [illegible] meal dishes at 10c New tin and graniteware [illegible] day 19 West Main St



FRESH killed poultry and beef Beefsteak 10 and 12c round 16 sirloin the lamb [illegible] legs 1[illegible] Everything marked down for fair week 55d7t

GREENING'S

AUSTIN'S DYE HOUSE 83 Wickham avenue, Ladies dresses and sacks gents suits and overcoats cleaned dyed and pressed

TO LET FROM OCTOBER 1st

RESIDENCE No 156 EAST MAIN STREET

ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS APPLY TO

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The Fair.

HARVEST WEEK.

A sale that is ripe with golden opportunities to buy and save money. Like the flowers and fruit that ripen in the sun there is nothing here but what is new and fresh. Every item here mentioned has been thrashed in price until nearly every grain of profit has been removed.

Flower Pots. Painted and unpainted	1c up	**Window Shades,** with good spring rollers	19c
Fern Pots.	15c	Brass extension rods	10c
Hanging Baskets.	10c	**Curtain Poles** in Cherry and Oak complete	10c
Flower Pot Brackets	10c	**White** Curtain Poles, brass trimmings complete	15c
Shelf Brackets.	5c pair	**Nottingham Lace Curtains,** 2½ yards long worth 75c pair harvest week	49c
Nickel Trowels	5c		
Long Handled Fire Shovels	5c	**Potters Oil Cloth.**	
Coal Seives	8c	**Floor Oil Cloth**	19c
Stove Pipe	8c	**Table Oil Cloth**	12½c
Elbows	8c	**Shelf Oil Cloth**	5c
Stove Polish	4c	**Oil Cloth Binding**	4 yds 10c
Stove Brushes	10c	**Rag Carpet** per yard	23c
Nickel Stove Pokers and Lifters	5	Paints, Stains and Varnishes per can	10c
Muslin Kettles Big 3 quart muslin kettles just the thing for preserving	15c	All kinds and sizes Paint and Scrub Brushes	
The Fair Soap. Laundry Soap none better 10 bars	25c	**Amonia.** The Fair label extra large bottle	7c

Good Time to Reap Gather Them In.

THE FAIR.

No. 8 East Main St., Middletown.

Special Sale Waist Silks!

69c, 75c, 98c, $1.25 Yard.

HART DAVIS,

45 North St.

Chenille and Embroidered Taffeta Silks for Yokes!

$1.98. $3. $4 YARD.

Here Are Some of Our Fall Bargains!

The result of good buying All new seasonable goods that we have bought for cash, and have bought cheap and you reap the benefit any dry goods will be higher soon.

Try us for your Fall purchases. We can save you money.

New Fall Dress Goods.

We have all the latest up to date goods in the market Plain goods for tailor made suits or plaids and cheviots for skirts Among the many styles we are showing, our 38 inch all wool Venetians all colors 50c yard, 46 inch all wool Serge in all colors and black 50c yard 48 inch all wool Cheviot and Storm Serge, three shades navy and black 50c yard, 50 inch all wool Cheviot in navy blue and black, 69c and 98c yard 50 inch Diagonal Suiting 79c yard 50 inch real Camel Hair Cloth 98c yard, 50 inch grey homespun Suiting 79c yard

Black Silk and Wool Crepons

Raised figured in silk and wool in the new pebble and blistered effects These goods were bought on import orders by us and are much less than if bought to day $1 25, $1 48 $1 68 $1 98 yard

275 Dressing Sacques.

These goods are all made in a good [illegible] factory outside of New York This lot was bought in May and made especially for us for an early fall sale Every lady ought to have one of these dainty garments at the price One lot all greys, size 32 to 42 at 79c four lots in Dark Blue, Pink, Reds and Greys at 98c, $1 19 $1 68 $1 98

720 Fine Cambric Corset Covers.

In plain and blouse fronts copied after the fine finish imported styles. The finest styles and best values ever shown by any firm Be sure and get your share before the lots are gone 25, 39 49, 69, 75c each

400 White Bed Spreads.

At the price of cottons to day this lot of goods is worth fully one-third more than we ask for them 10 4 Spread, all hemmed, ready for use, 49c and 75c, 12 4 $1 50 Spread at $1 19 Two special bargains in real Marseilles Quilts, $1 98, $2 50

Dress Linings.

Fast Black Perkline 10c yard, Mercerized Amazon 12½c yard, Spun Glass or Rustle in all shades and black 19c yard, two special values in Black Canvas 15c 18c yard, Mercurial Cloth in Black, Cerise and Violet, as handsome as satin, for waists, 35c yard

Black Petticoats

We have the best petticoat made in the world, all boned with corset bone warranted to wear and keep its shape as long as the skirt lasts. They come in a great variety of styles, 98c, $1 25, $1.48, $1,68, $1.98, $2 48. $3 48.

890 Yards New Silk.

Taffetas with corded and satin effects predominate in the latest effects, Taffeta Cordelles with alternate rows of cords Dresden Novelties in different combinations, Figured Travers a display of novelty figures between wide stripes Many of the above goods come in waist lengths of one and two patterns each at much less than regular prices there being no remnants, Plain Taffeta in in two different qualities 50c and 75c yard in all the latest colorings

Plaid Dress Goods

All the new camel hair effects in dress plaid novelty in skirt patterns of one or two of a kind 70c and 75c yard New Bright Plaid for children's dresses and shirt waists twenty five different pieces to select from, 12½c and 25c yard

Black Separate Skirts.

50 New Separate Skirts for this early fall sale in figured and cheviot serges all either in Black or Navy Blue We want you to see the fine way they are all made and finished Prices $1 98, $2 98 $4 68 $3 98

Fall Bedding.

Shaker Flannel Blankets either in gray or white extra full size, and at the price offered they are fully one-third less than the prices would be if bought to-day 49c, 69c, 98c, $1 19 $1 48 pair 25 Pairs all wool California Blankets, would be cheap at $5 00 For this lot $3 98 per pair 48 Dainty Silkoline Comfortables filled with firm white cotton, as long as they last, 98c, $1 29, $1 39, $1.48 each

2,000 Yards Outing Cloth.

These goods were bought some time ago and held by us for this early sale. All this lot comes in light colors with dainty light blue or pink stripes or checks As long as they last 6c and 8c yard

Domestics

Extra Heavy Unbleached Muslin, full yard wide, 5c yd. or 4½c by the piece. 5-4 Blanket Pillow Cases 15c. 8-4 Blanket Sheets, 35c 7-4 Blanket Sheets 40c. Glass Crash with fast edges 5c. yard. Special Towels 10c 15c, 25c each Extra Large Bath Towel 10c. Velvet Finished Bleached Bath Towel 10c, 2 for 25c.

Toilet Goods.

Our great sales on these goods show the people appreciate good goods at popular prices. Try us for your toilet goods. We can save you money

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